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I HAD A DREAM.
...MEMORIES OF THE PAST.
THESE ARE...
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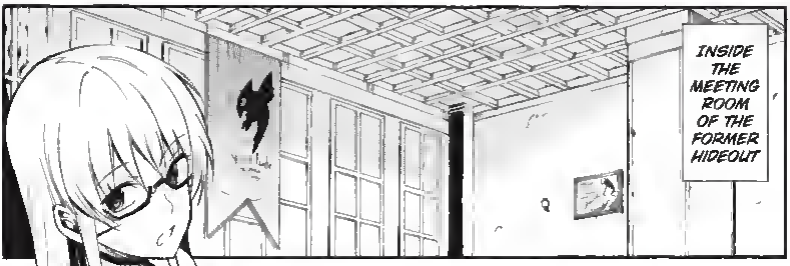
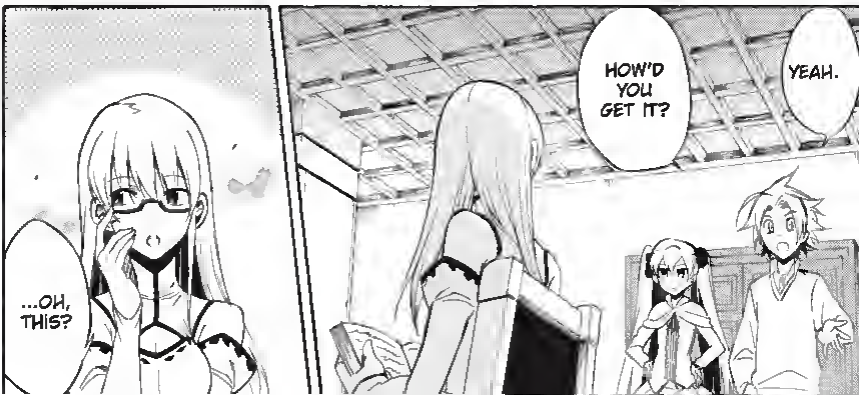
MEMORIES OF SHEELE





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WATA
AH! SORRY!
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WATA (PANIC)
YOU DON'T HAVE TO TALK ABOUT IT IF IT'S TOO PAINFUL FOR YOU!
.....
NO.
I JUST FORGOT HOW I GOT IT.
THAT'S PRETTY SAD TOO...
YOU GOT IT ON A MISSION WITH ME!
!
PAIN (CLAW?)
NOW I REMEMBER!
THAT'S RIGHT.
IT WAS A FIERCE BATTLE...

WE'LL WAIT HERE UNTIL OUR TARGET COMES BY.
FUKI (WIPE)
FUKI
OKAY.
KOSO (SNEAK)

...DON'T GO DROPPING YOUR GLASSES AND BREAKING THEM.
WITHOUT THOSE, YOU'LL BE AS BLIND AS A BAT!
HOW RUDE.
HMPH.
I CAN SEE A LITTLE.

ZAKU (SCRATCH)

I'M TOTALLY CAPABLE OF MOVING NIMBLY...
PYON (HOP)
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PYON
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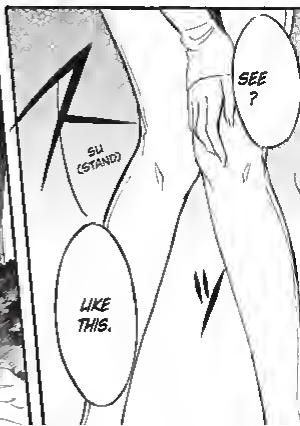

SEE?
SU (STAND)
LIKE THIS.

AH!
OW!!
AAAAWW...
SORRY...
DO ME A FAVOR AND SIT STILL UNTIL THE TARGET COMES, OKAY?
...AND THAT...
...IS HOW IT HAPPENED.
THAT HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH A BATTLE!
SHEELE'S ALWAYS LIKE THIS.
DON'T WASTE YOUR MENTAL ENERGY ON HER.

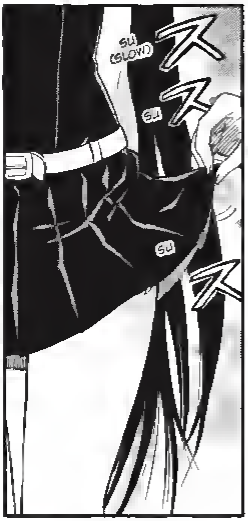
MEMORIES OF BULAT

AND SHEELE-SAN'S THE GENTLE BE-SPECTACLED ONE.
WANT A CANDY?
SHE'S THE KIND, OLDER-SISTER TYPE.
TH... THAT'S EASIER SAID THAN DONE...
HUH? WHAT ABOUT THE BOSS?
B-SHH! (JAH?)
NOW CHOOSE ONE!
AND NO HOLDING BACK, YOU DOG!!
SO EVEN WITH SUCH A LINEUP OF GIRLS IN FRONT OF YOU, YOU SHOW NO INTEREST IN ANY OF THEM?
...I'M IN NO POSITION TO BE CHOOSING LIKE THAT.
...I'M SO FOCUSED ON GETTING STRONGER AT THE MOMENT ...

ZUBAAAA (SHAZAAAAAM)
THAT MEANS HIS HIDDEN CHOICE MUST MAKE AN APPEAR-ANCE NOW!
HUH?
I TOO ...
... INITIALLY HAD NO INTEREST ...
...BUT BATTLES BRING COMRADES CLOSER TOGETHER.
SU (SSK)
GONE
BIG BRO SURE IS ACTING KIND OF FUNNY, DON'T YOU THINK, LUBBO—
WAIT, HE'S GONE!!

HA HA!
DON'T BE SILLY.
UH...
SO...
BIG BRO... YOU DON'T ACTUALLY... LIKE GUYS, DO YOU?
DON'T TAKE IT SO SERI-OUSLY, TATSU-MI!
BAN (PAT)
BAN
RIGHT?
I'M JUST TEASING YOU. I'M TEASING !!
I FIG-URED AS MUCH !!
SO.
BACK TO THE TOPIC AT HAND...
SU (SCOOT)
SU
SU
AS FOR WHETHER BIG BRO REALLY DID SWING THAT WAY OR NOT...
MY PER-SONAL SPACE...
...I STILL CAN'T SAY FOR SURE.

MEMORIES OF CHELSEA



I'LL GIVE YOU THIS SPECIAL SNEAK PEEK JUST BEFORE WE GET TO THE GOOD STUFF ♡
SU
SU
AH.
BISHI (CHOP)
OH GOOD. YOU GOT MAD.
WHAT THE HECK WAS THAT ALL ABOUT?
I JUST WANTED TO SEE IF YOU HAVE ANY MODESTY AS A GIRL.
I WAS GETTING WORRIED YOU DON'T.
GU (CLENCH)
OF COURSE I DO!
I'M WELL-VERSED IN ALL ASPECTS OF COMMON SENSE.
WHAT KIND OF ANSWER IS THAT ...?

KYU (SQUEEZE)
WELL, THEN, WHEN THE NATION'S MADE NEW...
...LET'S GO SHOPPING TOGETHER!
YOU'RE SO CUTE, AKAME-CHAN, YOU SHOULD SPEND MORE TIME ON YOUR WARD-ROBE.
SO WE'LL MAKE YOU UP TO LOOK YOUR BEST!
THAT'S NOT TRUE AT ALL. YOU'VE TOTALLY GOT WHAT IT TAKES.
DON (THUD)
.....
I DON'T THINK THE "CUTE" LOOK SUITS ME...
... THANK YOU.

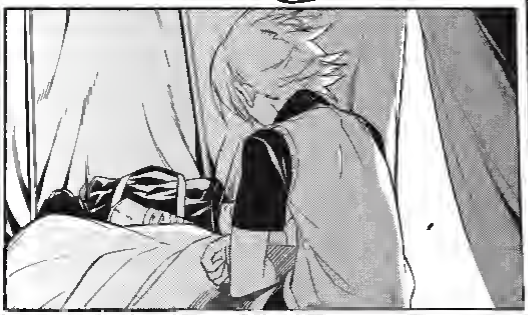
I WISH...

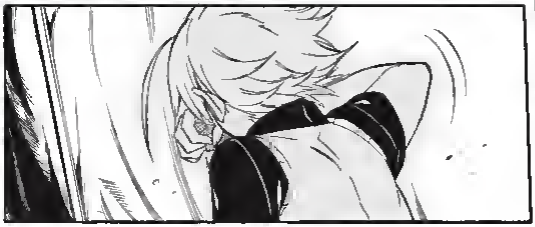
...THAT I COULD'VE HAD MORE TIME WITH THEM ALL.

I WISH WE'D FOUGHT IN MORE BATTLES TOGETHER.

I...

TA-TSU-MI.
TIME TO GET UP...
OH...
R... RIGHT.





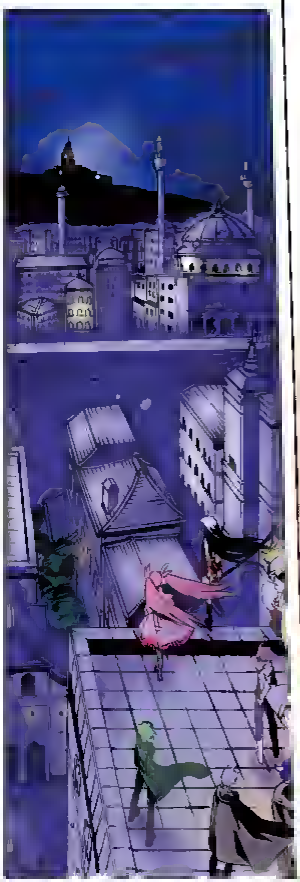
I WISH I'D DONE MORE...

I SLEPT LIKE THE DEAD...
BASA (FLAP)
SORRY ...

BA DASH
WE'LL BE ENTERING THE CULT'S STRONG-HOLD, KYOROKU, SOON.
SO LOOK SHARP.
PAN SNAP
I KNOW.
I'M GLAD I GOT TO SEE EVERY-ONE IN MY DREAMS, BUT...
...THIS IS NO TIME TO GET LOST IN MEMO-RIES!

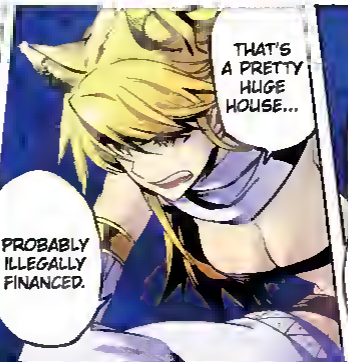
...AND END THE SOURCE OF THIS TRAGEDY!
WE HAVE TO DESTROY THIS COUNTRY THAT'S STARVING ITS PEOPLE...

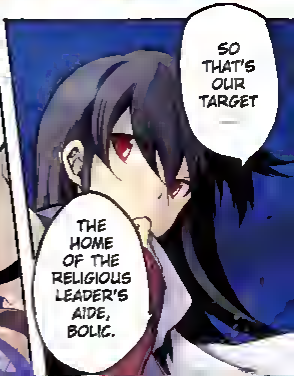
STRONG-HOLD OF THE "WAY OF PEACE", KYOROKU
HMMM...
I KNEW IT. I JUST CAN'T RELAX IN CLOTHES LIKE THIS
...YOU SAID IT.
I FEEL ALL MIS-MATCHED WEARING A DRESS LIKE THIS...
IT LOOKS VERY GOOD ON YOU, SERYU-SAN.
BUT IF SOME-THING COMES UP AND I'M WEARING THIS, IT'LL BE HARD FOR ME TO DISH OUT JUSTICE!
SHAAA (SWISH)
COME ON. WE DON'T GET INVITED TO WELCOMING PARTIES EVERY DAY.



TURN THAT ATTITUDE AROUND AND ENJOY YOURSELVES.
THERE MIGHT BE SOME INTERESTING ENTERTAINMENT IN STORE FOR US.

MEMORIZE THE LAYOUT OF THE PREMISES.


PROBABLY ILLEGALLY FINANCED.
THAT'S A PRETTY HUGE HOUSE...


THE HOME OF THE RELIGIOUS LEADER'S AIDE, BOLIC.
SO THAT'S OUR TARGET

WORD HAS IT THE JAEGERS ARE IN THIS CITY TOO...
THERE'S NO NEED TO HURRY. JUST ACT ACCORDING TO PLAN AND BRING HIM DOWN.
DO NOT LET OUR COM-RADES' DEATHS ..
...BE IN VAIN.
ROGER THAT!!!

CHAPTER 34 - KILL THE DEMONS (PART 1)

I MUST SAY ...
I REQUESTED REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE MINISTER OF STATE WHEN I FEARED MY SAFETY WAS THREATENED, BUT..
...I NEVER DREAMED I'D BE SENT THE EMPIRE'S STRONGEST, THE GENERAL ESDEATH.
NOTHING COULD BE MORE REASSURING THAN YOUR PRESENCE!
THE MINISTER OF STATE ORDERED US TO PROTECT YOU...
WE'LL NEED TO BORROW A NUMBER OF ROOMS FOR OUR LODGING.
OF COURSE!
ONLY MY MOST LOYAL AND FAITHFUL CONSTITUENTS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO THIS PARTY
PLEASE, RELAX AND ENJOY YOURSELVES.

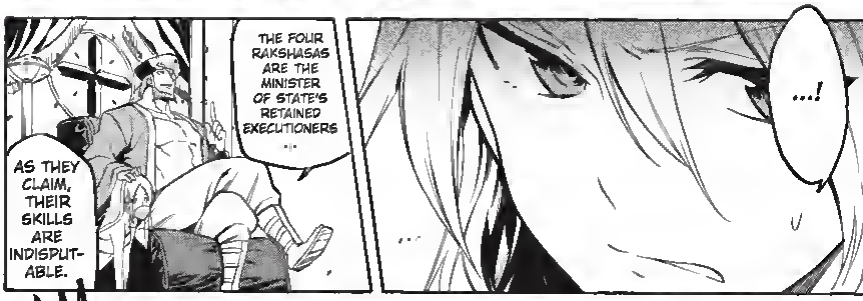
HEH HEH...
I'M SURE YOU'LL FIND MY HOME IS ANYTHING BUT BORING.
I HAVE NO INTEREST IN YOUR LITTLE HAREM...
HOW-EVER...
JUST AS I EXPEC-TED.
SO YOU NOTICED THEM.
PACHIN (SNAP)
...I WOULD LIKE TO MEET THE ONES YOU HAVE WATCHING US FROM THE CEILING.
BA (HOP)
BA

THE FOUR RAKSHASAS OF THE TEMPLE OF THE IMPERIAL FIST!!
THE EMPIRE GAVE THEM TO ME TO HELP CONTROL THE CULT.
THEY'RE THE EMBODIMENTS OF VIOLENCE.

I WAS WONDERING WHY THEY WEREN'T IN THE CAPITAL. SO THIS IS WHERE THEY'VE BEEN.
WELL, WELL.
...I CAN PUT THESE DEMONS ON THE OFFENSIVE RATHER THAN LIMIT THEM TO MY PERSONAL PROTECTION.
NOW THAT YOU'RE HERE, GENERAL ...
YOU CAN'T EXPECT THESE GUYS TO TAKE THEM ON WITHOUT TEIGU...!
THERE'S A CHANCE AN EVIL TEAM OF TEIGU USERS CALLED NIGHT RAID HAS INFILTRATED THIS CITY.
W...
RA (CHARGE)
WAIT A SEC-OND!

TON (DOOM)
YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT THAT.
WE'VE TAKEN DOWN TEIGU USERS WITH OUR BARE HANDS.
LIKE THIS.
THEY NEVER SAW IT COMING ...
HEH HEH...
PERO (LICK)
IBARA
YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF DRIVE, BUT MAYBE YOU SHOULD LEARN TO MIND THAT TEMPER.

MEZ
THAT MEANS WE'VE ALWAYS GOT A SHOT AT WINNING.
SHUTEN
NO MATTER HOW POWERFUL TEIGU MAY BE THE PEOPLE WHO WIELD THEM ARE STILL FLESH-AND-BLOOD
SUZUKA
WE'VE CONFISCATED AND DELIVERED A TOTAL OF FIVE TEIGU TO THE MINISTER OF STATE ..


AS THEY CLAIM, THEIR SKILLS ARE INDISPUTABLE.
THE FOUR RAKSHASAS ARE THE MINISTER OF STATE'S RETAINED EXECUTIONERS ..
...!

ZO (GULP)
NOW WHY DON'T YOU GUYS ENJOY SOME DRINKS AND RELAX HERE...
HEH HEH. YOU HEARD 'IM.

YOU MAY HAVE A GOOD TRACK REC-ORD ...
...BUT YOU SHOULDN'T LET DOWN YOUR GUARD EITHER.
OOOH, IMPRES-SIVE.
JUST AS I'D EXPECT FROM GENERAL ESDEATH.
I THINK I'M IN LOVE.

CURSE YOU, MINISTER.
THIS CULT MUST MEAN AN AWFUL LOT TO YOU.
PAKI CHANGKO
...WHY WAS I ALSO SUMMONED...?
IF THESE PRECIOUS PAWNS ARE HERE ALREADY...
HAAH...
HAAH..
THAT SURPRISED ME.
KOSO WHISPER
HEY.
HAAH..
HAAH..
YOU FEELING OKAY?

DO I...
HAAH...
HAAH...
...LOOK THAT BAD?
YEAH...
PRETTY ROUGH, IN FACT.
HM.
THANKS FOR WATCHING OUT FOR ME.
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PAN (PAT)
ZAAAA (FZSHHH)
KUROME...

DAMN IT!!
A FEW DAYS EARLI-ER
ZAAAAAA (SSSSHHH)
TOWN OF ROM-ARY
IF ONLY I'D GOTTEN HERE SOONER ...!!
NOW BOLS-SAN IS DEAD...
...LEAVING BEHIND HIS WIFE AND CHILD...
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO TELL THEM...!?
PON (PAT)

...YOU ONLY GOT BLOWN AWAY BECAUSE YOU WERE PROTECTING KUROME-SAN, RIGHT?
BUT...
THE CAPTAIN WON'T BLAME YOU FOR WHAT HAPPENED.
I UNDERSTAND HOW YOU FEEL, BUT YOU NEED TO CALM DOWN!
I DON'T THINK IT'S EASY AT ALL.
I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU'RE GOING THROUGH WAVE...
NO.
YOU UNDERSTAND ...!?
DON'T SAY IT LIKE IT'S SO EASY...!

WITH ALL MY HEART...
IN ANY CASE, LET'S GET KUROME-SAN INSIDE.
FROM THERE, WE'LL DISCUSS WHAT TO DO NEXT.
.....
RUN?
ZAAAA (SHHH)
GACHA (KLATCH)

I SEE...
THE DOCTOR SAID THAT SHE'S SURVIVED THE WORST OF IT.
ASLEEP.
HOW'S KUROME?
CAN I FEED THE EVIL CORPSE TO CORO?
I PERFORMED AN AUTOPSY ON THE BODY OF THE ASSASSIN WE TOOK DOWN BUT I DIDN'T FIND ANY LEADS
ONE LOOK AT THAT PHYSIQUE OF HERS TELLS US SHE WAS A PRO...
...BUT THAT'S IT.
IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE SHE WAS A PRO THAT SHE LEFT NO CLUES BEHIND.
SURE.
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DASHI (CATCH)
NOM (CHOMP)

WE'RE GOING TO KYOROKU.
ALSO, WE JUST RECEIVED AN URGENT ESCORT MISSION FROM THE MINISTER OF STATE.
THE PERSON WE'LL BE GUARDING IS PROBABLY ONE OF NIGHT RAID'S TARGETS.
!?
SA (SADUMO)
...NAJENDA REALLY GAVE IT TO US.
DON (DUMP)
IN OUR LAST BATTLE...
...SEEMS TO INDICATE THAT ATTACKING US WAS PROBABLY THEIR MAIN GOAL.
THE FACT THAT THEY STRUCK AT US WHILE ON THE ROAD...

ACCORDING TO THE THIEVES I TORTURED, THEY WERE TOLD BY OUTSIDE SOURCES THAT WE'D BE USING THAT ROUTE...
THAT'S SUCH A TYPICAL STRATEGY FOR HER.
NOT ONLY DID SHE HOLD ME UP, BUT SHE FORCED ME TO [illegible] UP THAT BAND OF THIEVES...
BUT I WON'T FALL FOR THE SAME TRICK TWICE...
I SWEAR I'LL TRAMPLE HER TO DEATH IN KYOROKU.

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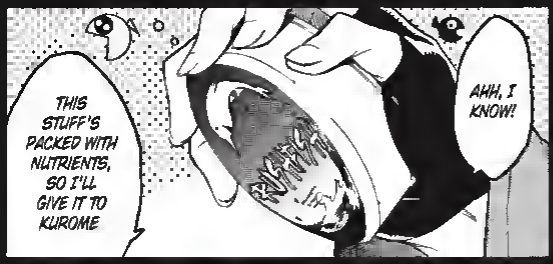
GUPPA
ぱっ
GUPPA (PASA)
ぱ!!
BA (JARGAO)
!?
UPSY DAISY!
UH.
NO WAY. ALL YOUR VITALS TOOK A HIT, REMEMBER?
AFTER THAT NAP, I FEEL ALL BETTER.
I'VE MADE A FULL RECOVERY.
MORI
E!!
MM!
MORI (VIGORO)
CAP-TAIN.
PLEASE LET ME STAY ON WITH THE TEAM.

DOGO (BASH)
AS YOU CAN SEE, I CAN FIGHT.
...VERY WELL.
KURU (TURN)
AS LONG AS I HAVE YOU, I'LL PUT YOU TO WORK.

TSUME (PACK)
HAHERHMM
TSUME

GOSO
GOSO (SIGH)
KUROME REALLY SHOCKED ME...
SHE WAS STABBED IN PLACES THAT WOULD'VE LEFT ANYONE ELSE DEAD.

WE LEAVE IN THIRTY MINUTES.


THIS STUFF'S PACKED WITH NUTRIENTS, SO I'LL GIVE IT TO KUROME
AHH, I KNOW!

OH.
CANNED RUSH-FISH.
HAVEN'T GOTTEN AROUND TO EATING IT YET.

KON (KNOCK)
KON
HEEEY.
KURO-MEEEE.

...DON'T TELL ME...
...SHE FELL ASLEEP?
GACHA (KLATCH)
HEY.
I KNOW YOU JUST RECOVERED, BUT IF YOU'RE LATE, THE CAPTAIN WILL PUT YOU THROUGH SOFT TORTURE COURSE "C"...
...AND "C" IS TOUGH...
—!
HAAH...
HAAH...
HAAH...
HEY, KUROME!
KEEP IT TO-GETHER!

GYU (GRAB)
.....
WAIT.
I'LL GET THE CAP-TAIN—
I KNEW YOU WERE PUSHING YOURSELF TOO HARD!
I...
I'M... OKAY...
...WHEN PEOPLE IN THE ASSASSI-NATIONS UNIT...
HAAH...
HAAH...
HAAH...
...ARE DEEMED UNABLE TO FIGHT ANY LONGER...
...THEY'RE GOTTEN RID OF.
IF I GOT KICKED OUT OF THE JAEGERS AND WENT BACK TO THE CAPITAL...
...THAT'D BE...THE END OF ME...
WHA ...!?

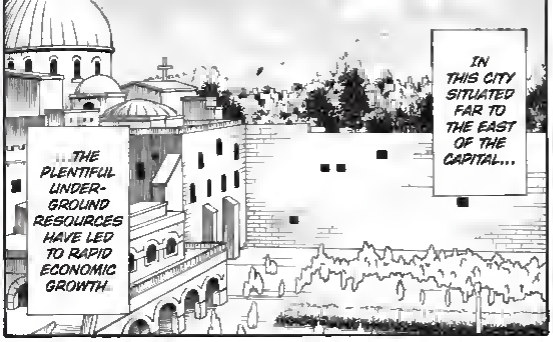
YOU'LL BE FINE!
I'M SURE THE CAPTAIN WOULD PROTECT YOU IF WE TOLD HER!
...THAT WON'T DO.
I HAVE TO FIGHT.
GYUU (GRIP)
I DON'T WANT TO BE DISPOSED OF.
I WASN'T BORN TO DIE LIKE THAT.
...IF I MUST DIE, I'LL DO IT IN BATTLE...
GU (STRAIN) -EU.
...LIKE MY COMRADES HAVE BEFORE ME...
KUROME ...
HM?
I'M FINE NOW, WAVE.
SORRY FOR WORRYING YOU.

ONCE MY WOUNDS HAVE HEALED...
...I'LL BE BACK TO MY OLD SELF.

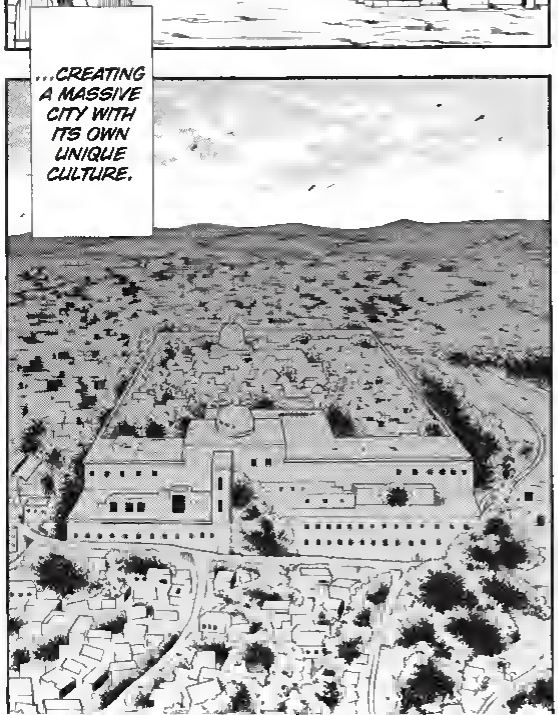
YOU SOUND LIKE YOU'RE TRYING TO CONVINCE YOURSELF...
KUROME...

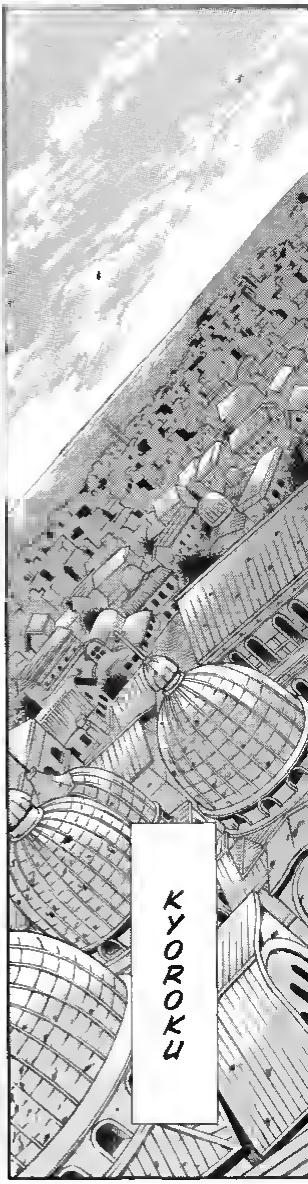
I KNEW IT. HER WOUNDS ARE SERIOUS...
...AND SHE HASN'T REPLENISHED THE CORPSES FOR YATSUFUSA...

I'VE SERVED IN SUCH SMALL ROLES SO FAR...
...TO COVER KUROME'S PART TOO...!!!
NOW I'VE GOT TO WORK...


IN THIS CITY SITUATED FAR TO THE EAST OF THE CAPITAL...
...THE PLENTIFUL UNDER-GROUND RESOURCES HAVE LED TO RAPID ECONOMIC GROWTH.

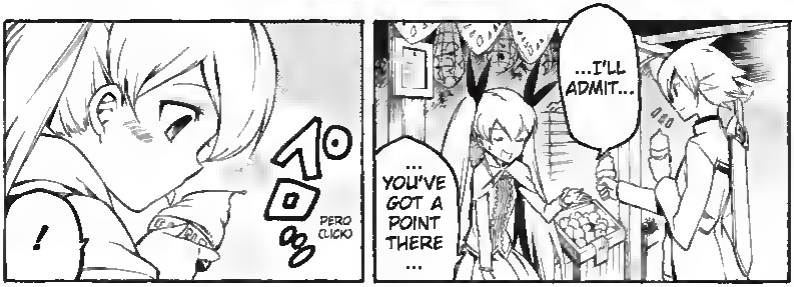
A NUMBER OF FACILITIES FOR THE WAY OF PEACE HAVE BEEN ERECTED...


...CREATING A MASSIVE CITY WITH ITS OWN UNIQUE CULTURE.


KYOROKU

THE JAEGERS MIGHT PUT UP NEW ONES.
THIS FAR AWAY FROM THE CAPITAL, THERE ARE NO WANTED POSTERS OF US.
DO NOT LET YOUR GUARD DOWN!
I ALREADY KNOW ALL THAT.
I WAS JUST SAYING ...!
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING!?
TWO, PLEASE!
BEING OVERLY TENSE AND STRAINED COULD BE DANGEROUS TOO, YOU KNOW?
THE ENEMY WILL PICK UP ON YOUR VIBE EASY.
TRY TO ACT MORE NATURAL.
HM?

EVEN THOUGH HE WAS SO SAD AFTER CHELSEA'S DEATH...
WHAT?
YOU DON'T WANT YOURS?
...HE WAS ABLE TO CALM RIGHT DOWN AND FOCUS ON THE NEXT MISSION...
I GUESS HE'S REALLY GROWN.


PERO CLICK!
...I'LL ADMIT...
... YOU'VE GOT A POINT THERE ...

RIGHT?
WHAT IS THIS? IT'S DELI-CIOUS!
AH!
THEY DON'T HAVE THIS FLAVOR BACK IN THE CAPITAL.
PAAAAAA GLOOOOOW

...STILL.

IS IT BECAUSE OF THE RELIGION ...?
...THE PEOPLE HERE SEEM A LOT HAPPIER AND HEALTHIER THAN THOSE IN THE CAPITAL...

GOOD THINK-ING.
WE'LL LEAVE THE SECTION NEAREST THE CHURCH TO LUBBOCK, WHO VOLUNTEERED SO EAGERLY FOR IT.

IN ANY CASE, WE HAVE TO GET A BETTER FEEL FOR THE CITY.
LET'S TAKE A LOOK AROUND THE OUTSIDE ON THE EASTERN SIDE...
...AVOIDING THE CENTRAL AREA THAT ESDEATH AND HER MEN ARE GUARDING.

SHEESH. THIS PLACE IS LIKE A MAZE...
GULP (GULP)
AT LEAST I CAN BLEND IN EASIER WITH ALL THESE PEOPLE. THAT SHOULD MAKE LOOKING AROUND SIMPLER.
ZA (ZSH)
HEY.
SHUTEN.
WELL DONE, LUBBO.
LUCKY FOR ME, NOBODY KNOWS MY NAME OR FACE.
I'LL GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS IN NO TIME AND EARN SOME POINTS WITH NAJENDA-SAN.

IT'S HOW HE'S WALKING.
THAT GUY LOOKS LIKE HE'S SUPER AWARE OF HIS SURROUNDINGS, DON'T YOU THINK?
HE MOVES LIKE SOMEONE WHO'S BEEN THROUGH MANY BATTLES.
HE MAY BE TRYING TO HIDE IT, BUT WE CAN TELL.
MY GUT'S TELLING ME HE'S AN ENEMY.
NOT QUITE, MEZ.
WE'D BETTER KILL HIM.
THEN HE'S GUILTY.

CALL IT "LIBERATING HIS SOUL."

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MOGU
MOGU (CHEW)
...THERE'S AN UNDERGROUND TUNNEL THAT PASSES THROUGH BOLIC'S RESIDENCE FROM THE CHURCH.
OUR INVESTIGATION HAS LEAD US TO BELIEVE THAT SOMEWHERE IN THIS CEMETERY ...
REVOLUTIONARY ARMY SPY TEAM

OUTSKIRTS OF KYOROKU
CEMETERY

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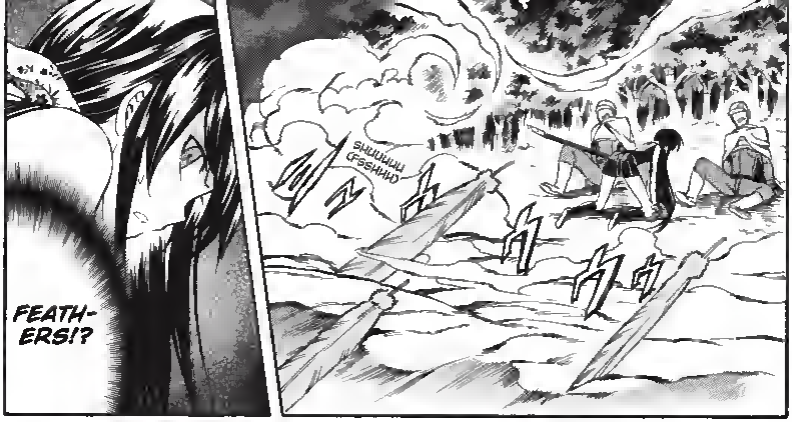
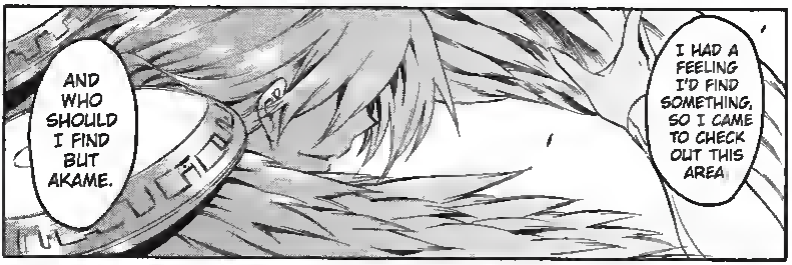
(HAGU! (CHOMP)
ONCE WE KNOW WHERE THE ENTRANCE TO THE PASSAGE IS,
...WE'LL BE ABLE TO USE IT TO GET TO THE BASEMENT OF BOLIC'S MANSION

WHEN YOU CARRY OUT YOUR ASSASSINATION...
...I THINK IT WOULD BE MOST PRUDENT TO POSITION EVERYONE HERE.

IT WILL BE DIFFICULT TO UNEARTH.
HMMM.
LOOK AT HOW VAST THIS PLACE IS.
AND THERE'S A CHANCE THE WAY WILL BE BOOBY-TRAPPED.
(WHIP)
!?
DO-DOSHO
WATCH OUT!
(RUMBLE RUMBLE)


FEATH-
ERS!?
SHINKEN
SHINKEN


I HAD A FEELING I'D FIND SOMETHING, SO I CAME TO CHECK OUT THIS AREA.
AND WHO SHOULD I FIND BUT AKAME.

...Y AERIAL RECON-NAIS-SANCE...
JAKA (SHING)
...PAID OFF.

DOO
CHAOOMD

THE TEIGU MASTEMA!
SO YOU'RE A JAEGER!!

GRUUUUU (BOOOOOOM)
DO (BANG)
DO
DO
DO
JUG: BOOZE
SHIT !!
THEY JUMPED ME!
HOW DID THEY SNIFF ME OUT!?

DOSHU (SHWOOP
TAKE THAT!!
GOKIN (POP)
ドスン!!
DOSH (STAB)
GAH-AH!

.....
HMMM?
DOSHA (CRASH)
SNAP!
ピト
PITO (TOUCH)
HIS HEART'S ALREADY STOPPED.
WEAK-LING!

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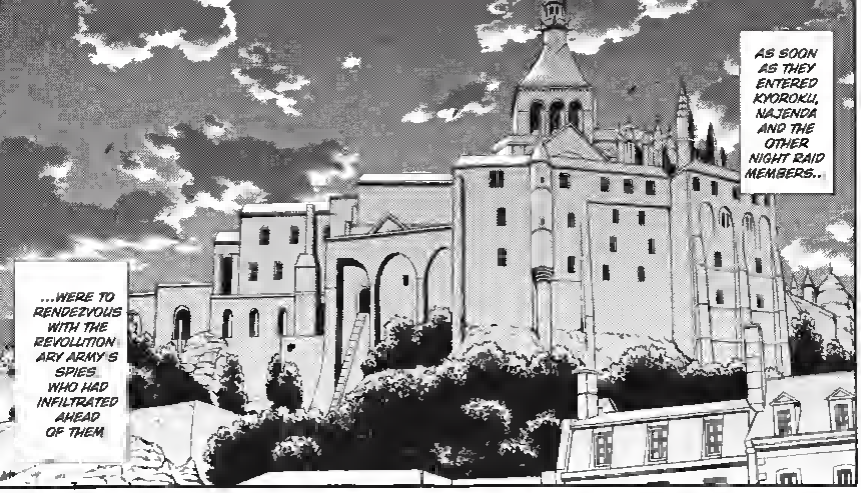
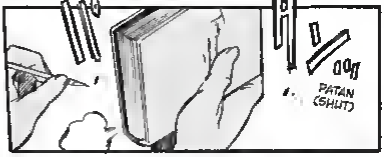

AS SOON AS THEY ENTERED KYOROKU, NAJENDA AND THE OTHER NIGHT RAID MEMBERS..
...WERE TO RENDEZVOUS WITH THE REVOLUTION ARY ARMY'S SPIES WHO HAD INFILTRATED AHEAD OF THEM.

...BOLIC, THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SPY AND ASSISTANT TO THE RELIGIOUS LEADER.
KARI. (SKRITCH)
KARI
THEY'D ALREADY BEGUN TO WORK OUT THE PLAN FOR ASSASSI- NATING...

THE ARMY MADE ONLY ONE...


PATAN (SHUT)

THEY WERE DEATHLY AFRAID OF THE JAEGERS MAKING AN APPEAR- ANCE, BUT...
ZA (CSW)
ZA
...THAT WAS A SCENARIO THEY HAD PLANNED FOR.

...MAJOR MISCALCULATION...
HEH HEH HEH.
SO THIS IS THE SPIES' HIDEOUT.
I FOUND YOU.

THEY WEREN'T COUNTING ON THE MINISTER OF STATE'S RETAINED EXECUTIONERS...
...THE FOUR RAKSHASAS, BEING IN KYOROKU.
ZA (ZSH)
ZA
ZA
OH MY.
NONE OF YOU SEEM ALL THAT STRONG.
COULD IT BE YOU HAVE MULTIPLE HIDEOUTS?
LOOKS LIKE SHE'S THE ONLY ONE HERE.
I'M A LITTLE DISAPPOINTED.
YURA (NAFT)
IF WE RUSH AT HER ALL AT ONCE—
BUT OH WELL. I'LL JUST KILL YOU ANYWAY.

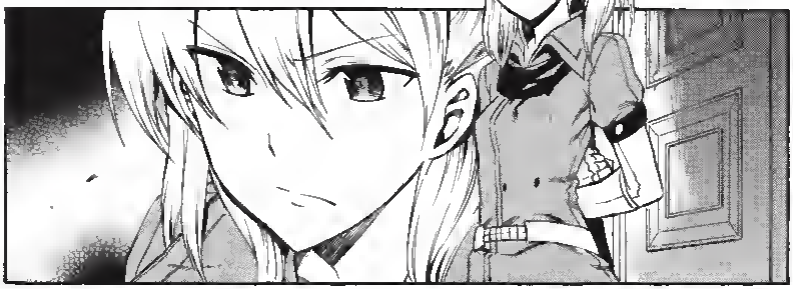
JIKA! (SHRIEK!)
ZUBA (SLASH)
BA (LUNGE)
DI-RECT HIT!
AAH!
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA (ZSH)
WE'VE GOT THIS! ONE MORE HIT! MOW HER DOWN!

DO
DO
DO
DO
DO CRUSH
PA
PA
PA
PA (SHINK?)
NNN ...!
NOT BAD, BUT...
...THIS JUST WON'T CUT IT.

DA (STOMP)
DAN
HUH (SWISH)
DO
DO (STAB)
HUH?

GAAH!
GURK!
YOUR ATTACKS DON'T HURT...
IT'S JUST NOT ENOUGH FOR ME...
TO BE ATTACKED BY HER...
I WANT THE HIGHEST PLEASURE.

KYO-RO-KU
BEFORE THE CATHE-DRAL



IT'S THAT BOLIC GUY.
HE'S TOO SNOBBY FOR HIS OWN GOOD!
IT MAKES ME WONDER IF HE HE'S EVEN WORTH YOUR GUARDIAN-SHIP...!

WHAT'S THE MATTER, SERYU?
KA (CLICK)
KA
KA
YOU LOOK SO SERIOUS.
CAP-TAIN ...

HE'S NOTHING MORE THAN BAIT TO DRAW OUT NIGHT RAID.
!
JUST THINK OF IT THAT WAY.
YOU'RE RIGHT... LOOKING AT IT LIKE THAT...
BUT...
...WHAT SHOULD I DO?
YOU'RE TOO TENSE.
IF YOU WANT TO CARRY OUT YOUR MISSION WELL...
...I THINK A LITTLE CHANGE OF PACE IS CALLED FOR.
HEY, YOU YOUNG-STERS.
THE OWNER OF THAT DOG SAYS SHE WANTS TO PLAY TOO.
C-CAP-TAIN!?
IS THAT WHAT THIS IS!?
DOG!?
WAAAH!
WAAAH!
GOOD QUES-TION.
LET'S TRY THIS OUT.

IT'S TIME FOR A BREAK.
KUI (STIFLING)
A LITTLE UNSCHEDULED RECREATION NEVER HURT ANYBODY.
PHEW!
I GOTTA ADMIT. THIS PLACE IS SO DIVERSE. IT'S INTRIGUING.
WE WALKED EVERYWHERE.
WHEN ALL THIS IS OVER, I WANT TO DO SOME SHOPPING HERE TOO.

POKI (SCRATCH)
YOU TAKE SO LONG SHOPPING, IT'D LAST DAYS.
HUH?
POKI
THAT'S USUAL. COMPLETELY-NORMAL.

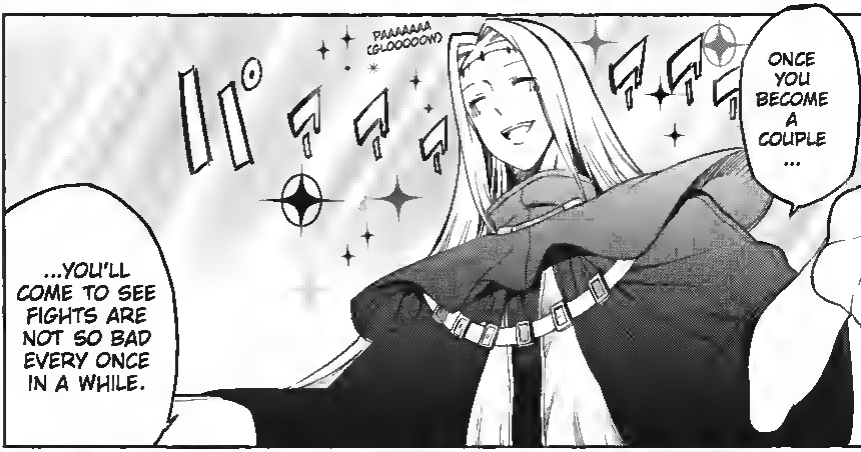
PIKI (SNAP)
A GUY WHO CAN'T LET A WOMAN SHOP...
...IS NARROW-MINDED.

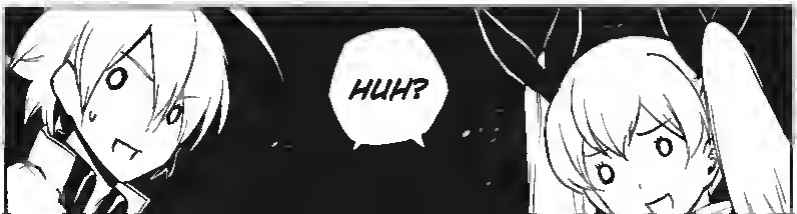
PIKI
AND A GIRL SO QUICK TO CALL A GUY "NARROW-MINDED"...
...IS NARROW-MINDED HERSELF.
THAT DOES IT! LET'S HASH OUT THE PECKING ORDER RIGHT HERE AND NOW!
WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE THE SAME RANK, SO REALIZE THAT JUST BRINGING UP A "PECKING ORDER" SHOWS HOW WRONG YOU ARE!!
POO (CRAFT)
YOU ARE SO CHEEKY, YOU KNOW THAT!?

PLEASE. ENOUGH OF THIS SENSELESS ARGUING .....
HUH?
I'M SORRY.
I DIDN'T MEAN TO BE SO FORWARD AND INTRUSIVE.

DON'T TELL ME...
...YOU'RE WITH THE WAY OF PEACE...
ARE YOU THEIR PRIEST?
YES.
I SOMETIMES MAKE MY ROUNDS TO SEE HOW THE CITY IS DOING.
BOLIC'S NOT WITH HIM...
THOUGH, KNOWING HIM, HE'S PROBABLY COZIED UP IN HIS STRONG-HOLD...

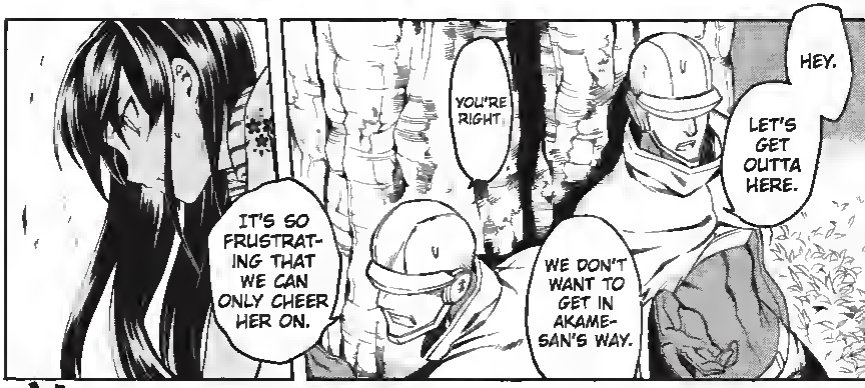
NOTE. REFERRING TO THE EASTERN BELIEF THAT FATED LOVERS ARE BOUND BY A RED THREAD TIED TO THEIR PINKIES





I'M GOING TO MAKE THIS ...
... FIGHT ONE-SIDED.
KA (KRAK)
KA
KA
KA
BA (CHOP)
DO (BLAST)
DO
DO
DO
DO

DO
DO
DO (BLAST)
DO


HEY.
LET'S GET OUTTA HERE.
YOU'RE RIGHT.
WE DON'T WANT TO GET IN AKAME-SAN'S WAY.
IT'S SO FRUSTRATING THAT WE CAN ONLY CHEER HER ON.

DOSHU (SHWOOP)

PIN (CLEANG)

!?
GUN
GYUOOMO
ZA
(SKID)
ZA
ZA
SHICHIGA
(SNAP)
I'D BETTER DESCEND A BIT, THEN...
I PUT TOO MUCH SPACE BETWEEN US, AND NOW MY FEATHERS DON'T HAVE AS MUCH FORCE...
ZU
ZU
(ZSH)

HOW'S THIS?
PASH!! (SHWIP)

ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
(SHIT)
KA
(KA)
KA
KA
KA

I'M JUST NOTICING...
...I'M A LOT LOWER THAN WHEN I STARTED...
OF ALL THE VEXING...
JUST A LITTLE CLOSER...
...SHE'S PURPOSELY DODGING THEM BY ONLY A HAIR.
SHE'S TRYING TO LURE ME INTO RANGE SO SHE CAN LUNGE AT ME...
TRYING TO MAKE ME THINK THAT I COULD TAKE HER DOWN IF I JUST GOT A LITTLE CLOSER...
SHE'S CAPABLE OF MAKING RATIONAL DECISIONS EVEN UNDER THESE CONDITIONS.
TYPICAL OF A KILLER.

IF I DO GET CLOSER STILL AND USE MY STRONGEST CARD, I'M CONFIDENT I COULD FINISH HER OFF, BUT...
WHAT SHOULD I DO, THEN...?
.....IN THAT CASE...
...THAT MEANS MY OPPONENT'S ATTACKS WOULD REACH ME. IT'D TURN INTO A TEIGU BATTLE.
I AM A SCOUT FIRST ...
SO I'LL AVOID A TEIGU BATTLE AND RETURN HOME...
I SHOULD LET THE CAPTAIN KNOW I HAVE PROOF THAT NIGHT RAID HAS ARRIVED.
KURU (TURN)
HEH HEH HEH.
!
...SO HE FLED.
KAKI (CLICK)
HE'S A DIPLO-MATIC MAN...

IBA-RA ...!
YOU CAME TO KYO-ROKU!?
A KILLER WHO LETS HER ENEMY GET AWAY AFTER HE'S SEEN HER? WHAT A FIASCO!
I FEEL BAD FOR YOU, SO I'LL PLAY WITH YOU INSTEAD.
AKAME-CHAAAAN. ♡
DOGYA (GLOP)

ZA (ISH)
BICHA (SPLAT)
I'D HOPED THEY'D BE OUR LAST BATTLE ...
I DIDN'T THINK WE'D FIGHT THE FOUR RAKSHASAS UNTIL AFTER THE MINISTER'S ASSASSI-NATION

HEH HEH HEH.
A BAD LITTLE GIRL WHO TURNED HER BACK ON THE EMPIRE...
...DESERVES A GOOD SPANKING.
I'LL BURY YOU !!
DOOHA (SPLAT)
DON (BOOOM)

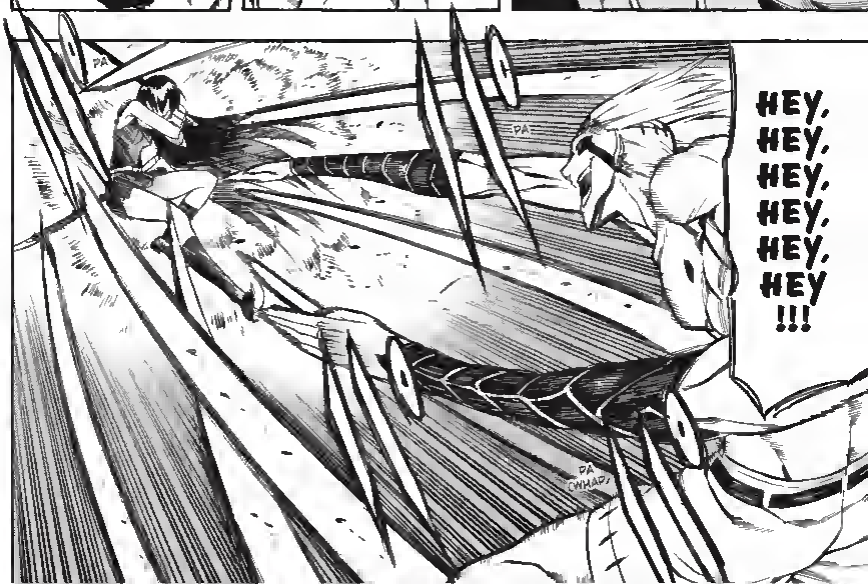
GOSHUU (SHIMPP??
JUST TRY IT!!
BA (DODGE)
BA
BA
KAKI (SHINK?)
ZU
ZU
ZUGU

GUNI (STRETCH)
RYU (TASH)
DOSHU
HEH HEH HEH.
HEH HEH HEH.
TA (TAK)
SHURURURURU (SHLURK)
HEH HEH HEH.
DA (DASH)
ALONG WITH OUR INTENSE TRAINING, WE OF THE FOUR RAKSHASAS...
...WERE RAISED EATING THE BROTH OF THE LAKE KRAKEN THAT LIVES IN THE MOUNTAINS BEHIND THE TEMPLE...

ゴキ
GOKI (-CHK)
WHICH MEANS I CAN EVADE THAT CREEPY BLADE OF YOURS.
ゴキ
GOK!

THAT'S ENABLED US TO MANIP-ULATE OUR BODIES AT WILL
GOKI (CHK)

AND I CAN DO THIS TOO.
ゴキ
GOKIN (SNAP)


PA
PA
PA (WHAP)
HEY, HEY, HEY, HEY, HEY, HEY !!!

KUH!
PA
PA
PA
PA (WHAT?)
TAKE THIS AND THIS AND THIIIS!!
HOW DO YOU LIKE THAT, AKAME CHA-AAAN!?

PASHI (CATCH)
SHU (SWISH)
I TOLD YOU, WE'VE UNDERGONE INTENSE TRAINING!!!
ASHII (SNATCH)
NOW!
GUN (YANK)
YOUR TEIGU IS MINE!!
SA (FWISH)

ZOOM (SMOOSH)
WHA...
ZO (SEETHE)
ZO
ZO
ZO
ZO
ZO
WHAT'S WITH THIS SWORD ...!
BOSA (SHILING)

GOKI (SNARL)
YOU LET GO OF YOUR TEIGU ON PURPOSE ...
DO (THMP)
I CAN'T BELIEVE.. THAT'S WHAT YOU WERE PLANNING FROM THE START..
GWEEH!

THAT'S WHAT YOU GET FOR CALLING MURASAME "CREEPY."
I KNEW YOU WOULDN'T BE COM-PATIBLE.
SU (GWF)
NH
URN!
HOW DARE...
DO (CHARGE)
KAKI (CLICK)
カキ
HOW DARE YOUUUU!?

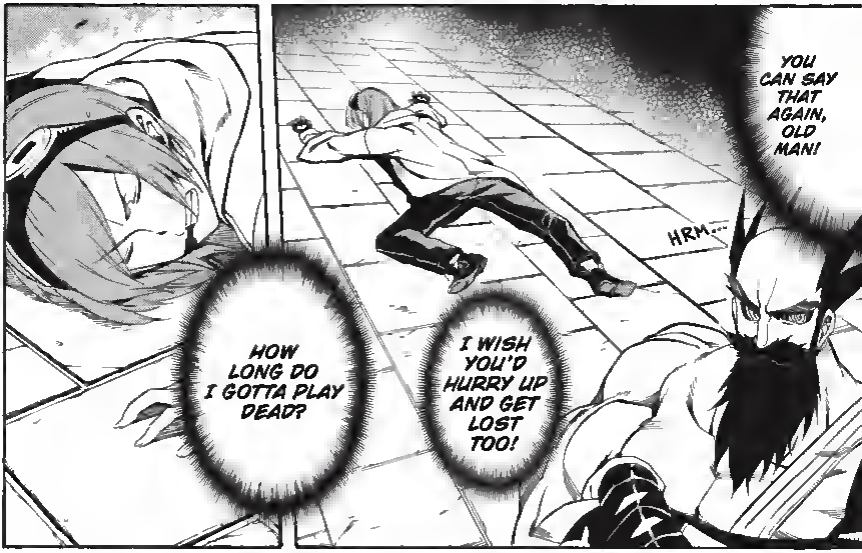
GSLASH

MY CURSED SWORD ...
...DIDN'T TAKE MUCH OF A LIKING TO YOU.
YOU SHOULD BE HAPPY YOU DIDN'T HAVE THAT MUCH WORK TO DO...
DOGHA (SPLAT)
...IBARA.
HEH...
...YOU'RE A... DANGER-OUS... GIRL.

...I THINK I'M IN LOVE...
HEH HEH HEH.
OW...
GAKU (LIMP)
ZO (CHILL)
.....
THERE'RE STILL THREE OF THEM LEFT, PLUS THE JAEGERS ON TOP OF THAT...
THE FOUR RAKSHASAS... REALLY ARE A FORMIDABLE ENEMY...

I JUST HOPE EVERY-ONE'S OKAY...

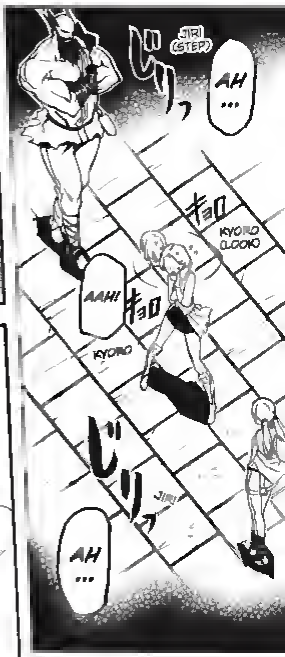
WHAT'S TAKING SO LONG ...
... MEZ ...?


YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN, OLD MAN!
HRM...
I WISH YOU'D HURRY UP AND GET LOST TOO!
HOW LONG DO I GOTTA PLAY DEAD?

...MY PULSE WAS EASY TO TAKE CARE OF. I PUT CRAWSTAIL IN MY BODY TO BIND MY BLOOD VESSELS.
THE ARMOR OF THREAD WRAPPED AROUND MY BODY PROTECTED ME FROM HER KARATE CHOP.
EITHER WAY, I'LL JUST HAVE TO KEEP THIS UP FOR AS LONG AS I CAN.
THIS ISN'T FUNNY.
IF THIS TURNS INTO A BATTLE, IT'S LIKELY THE JAEGERS WILL COME.
HEY, SHUTEN.
GO (CHARGE)
SHE'S HEADING YOUR WAY.
THIS PREY'S FOR YOU!
TA (TMP)
TA
TA
TA

...EE!
GIN (GLINT)

THESE GUYS FIGURE THAT JUST BECAUSE THIS BACK STREET'S EMPTY, THEY CAN TURN IT INTO THEIR OWN PERSONAL HUNTING GROUND
THAT GIRL'S ONE OF THE SPIES ...


JIRI (STEP)
AH ...
キョロ
KYORO (LOOK)
AAH!
キョロ
KYORO
じりっ
AH ...

KYORO キョロ KYORO キョロ
SO YOU SHOULD ALREADY BE PREPARED FOR THIS.
YOU'RE A SPY...
SORRY, BUT I CAN'T SAVE YOU.

I'M GOING TO LIBERATE THAT SOUL OF YOURS.
SO BE HAPPY...
DON (BADUM)
...YOU'RE A LITTLE LOST CHILD WANDERING IN THE GREAT BIG WORLD.
UH!
GIRI
AH...!
HELP...
GIRI (SQUEEZE)
NH...
GIRI
GG-GUH...GH...!
GA (GRAB)

HAIJO
(WHOOSH)
PASHI
(SNATCH)
I KNEW IT. IT'S NO USE.
I JUST CAN'T LIE BACK AND LET A GIRL ON MY TEAM DIE.

WOW, YOU REALLY HAD US FOOLED!
YOU...
YOU'RE PRETTY DUMB, THOUGH. YOU SHOULD'VE KEPT PLAYING DEAD!
...LIVE.
THE THING ABOUT ME IS...
...I CONSIDER MY POSITION...
...AND I DO EVERYTHING I CAN TO AVOID HEAD-ON CONFLICT.
BUT.
WHEN IT COMES TO A DO-OR-DIE FIGHT...
...I GIVE IT EVERYTHING I'VE GOT!

RA!
(WHIP)
CHUHHH
(WEEEEE)
BOTH OF YOU...
...COME AT ME!!
GU
COLENCHO

Akame ga KILL!

IBARA

Akame ga KILL!
Rough Sketches 1

SUZUKA

KIIII (ZWIIIING)
COME AT ME!
FUO (WHOOSH)
NOW.
GYUI (ZIP)
THERE'S NO NEED FOR US TO COME TO YOU!
TCH!
BA (HOP)
YOU'RE ATTACKING US BY THROWING OUT YOUR THREADS!
GIIII (ZIIIING)
I KNEW YOU'D HAVE ME FIGURED OUT.
TCH.

I'LL LIBERATE YOUR SOUL TOO.
BO OOOM
BO OWHOOSHO
HNNNNGH!
TEMPLE OF THE IMPERIAL FIST: HUNDRED BURNING FISTS!!!
LISTEN UP, OLD MAN!
CH CCHO
CHA

DO (DAN)
DO
DO
DO
YOU DON'T GET TO TALK TO ME!!
SO THOSE THREADS ARE A TEIGU.
THE KID'S CLEVER...
TA (TAK)
SHUUURURU (SHHWWWIP)
WELL, WELL.
BAKI (CRACK)

THIS TIME I'LL CRACK YOUR SKULL OPEN...
BOKI (CRUNCH)
...AND MAKE SURE YOU'RE GOOD AND DEAD. ♪

I'D RATHER NOT BE POPULAR...

...WITH GIRLS LIKE YOU.

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BA (VWP)
BA
BA
BA

SPEED UP, CENTRIF-UGAL FORCE!!!
GYUUUU (HHOOOOOOSH)
THAT MOVE IS LEAVING YOU WAY TOO OPEN, DON'T YOU THINK?
DOSHU (DSSHT)
GYUUU OOOOOOH

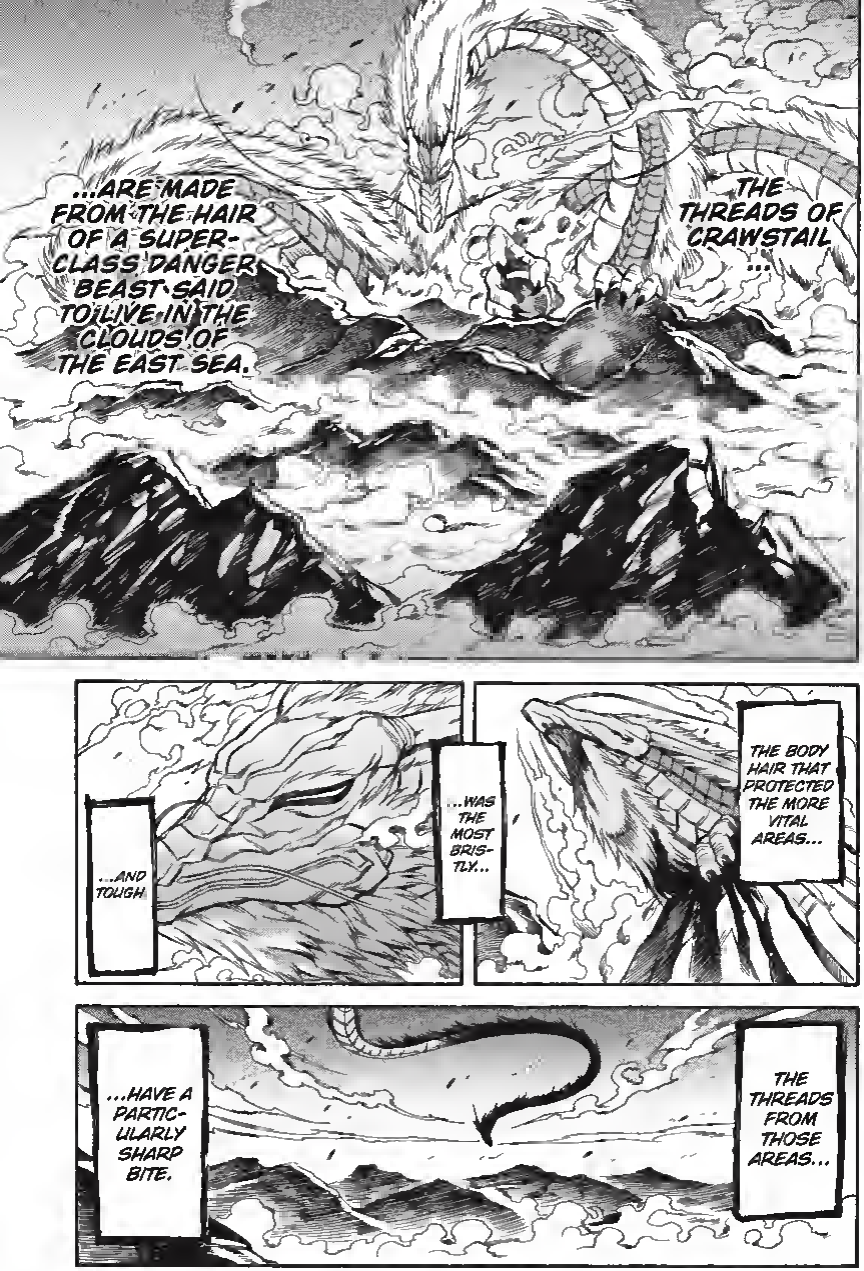
(SHUUU (SSSHHH)
NOT REALLY.
BACHI (SMACK!)
DAN (STOMP)
HERE COMES ...
...MY SUPER-SECRET MOVE!

WIRE IMPACT !!
(WOOOOOSH)
HMPH !!!
(GRUNT) PHOE

FEEBLE!
DOGO (BOOM)
WHAT!?
THAT'S YOUR SECRET MOVE...?
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH.
LOOK BEHIND YOU!
ZA
ZA (SKID)
...OH... REALLY?
BUT I'VE ALREADY ACCOMPLISHED MY GOAL.

FLEE
NOW FOR ME TO SAY GOOD-BYE TOO!!
GONE
AH. THE GIRL GOT AWAY.
... HUH.
SO HE PUT ON THAT BIG DISPLAY TO DISTRACT US FROM THE GIRL AND LET HER ESCAPE..
HE LEAVES ME NO CHOICE NOW.
BOGO (CRUNCH)

I DON'T CARE IF IT'S ONLY YOURS ...
I WILL BE LIB-ERATING A SOUL TODAY!!
DOGI (RUMBLING)
GA
GA
GA
ARE YOU SURE YOU SHOULD BE DOING THAT?
NI- (SMIRK)
CHARGING AT ME WITH ALL THAT FORCE?
!?
ZU (SEETHE)


...ARE MADE FROM THE HAIR OF A SUPER-CLASS DANGER BEAST SAID TO LIVE IN THE CLOUDS OF THE EAST SEA.
THE THREADS OF CRAWSTAIL ...
...AND TOUGH.
...WAS THE MOST BRISTLY...
THE BODY HAIR THAT PROTECTED THE MORE VITAL AREAS...
...HAVE A PARTICULARLY SHARP BITE.
THE THREADS FROM THOSE AREAS...

THEY ARE CALLED "BOUNDARY CUTTING THREADS."
WHAT!?
GYA
GYA
GYA
GYA (SKID)
I SAVED THE BEST THREAD FOR LAST.
I DOUBT EVEN YOU COULD CUT IT.
DO (SHOOM)
GA
GA (CTAH)
GA
GA
GA

GWAAAAAH!
(SHH)
(SSHH)
(SLASHH)
(SLASHH)
DO (SHOONK)
NOW THE FIN-ISHING MOVE!!
...YOU!
YOU'RE TOO TIMID, BOY.
MY BODY'S ENDURED TOO MUCH TRAINING FOR THIS LITTLE SCRATCH TO DO ME IN!
(SLASH) (SHEE)
DO (STAB)
IT DOESN'T MATTER HOW TOUGH YOUR BODY IS.
THE MOMENT CRAWSTAIL STABBED YOUR CHEST...

GYURURU (WRRRAP)
GU GUENCH)
...IT SENT ITS THREADS TO YOUR HEART.
GUSHA (SPLRCH)

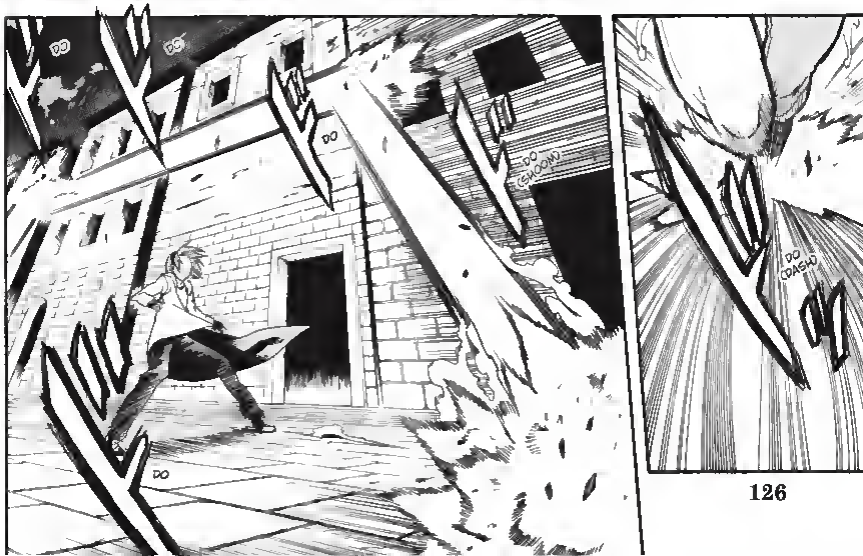
AND THERE'S NO TRAINING THAT CAN HELP AGAINST THAT.
OOH!
WELL DONE! YOU ACTUALLY TOOK OUT SHUTEN!
DOSA (THUD)
BUT THE MINISTER OF STATE WON'T BE TOO HAPPY ABOUT THIS.
ZA (CSH)
ZA
ACTU-ALLY.
HYU (CZH)
HYU
HYU
YOU WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT THAT.

THAT'S OKAY.
THAT'S JUST HOW IT IS FOR KILLERS LIKE US.
PISHI (SSHH)
SORRY, BUT...
...I CAN'T LET YOU LIVE TO GO BACK HOME.
...NOW THAT YOU'VE SEEN MY TEIGU...
GUN (CLANG)
PACHI (SNAP)
SUN (FLING)

SA (DODGE)
DOCHA (SPLAT)
NUTO (OOZE)
WHAT'S WITH THAT GOOP...?
THE WEIGHT OF THAT STICKY LIQUID'S MAKING MY THREADS GO SLACK. THEY'RE COMPLETELY USELESS NOW!
UH-OH...

NUCHO (SLICK)
IT'S CALLED OIL.
IT'S ACTUALLY MY SWEAT.
THE FOUR RAKSHASAS SPECIALIZE IN MANIPULATING THEIR BODIES LIKE THIS.
PETA (STICK)

NUCHA (STICK)
THAT MEANS YOUR LITTLE DEFENSE BARRIER CAN'T HELP YOU ANYMORE!


DO
DO
DO
DO (SHOOM)
DO
DO (DASH)

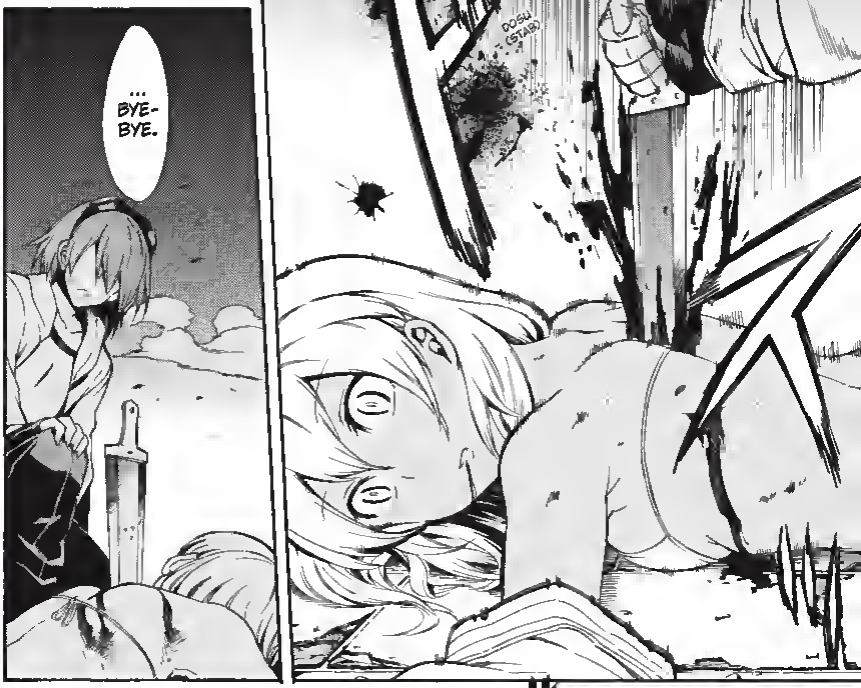
KUH!
SO FAST!
DO
DO
DO

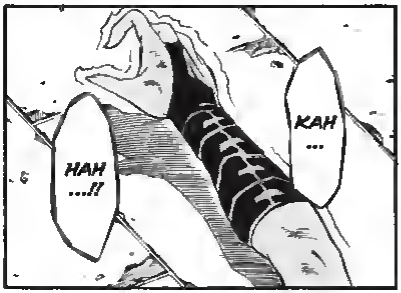
GAHKK!!
GA (GKID)
GA
GA
GA
GA
HAFF!
HAAH!
HAAH!
I...I CAN'T GET UP...
HAFF!
HAAH!
...I'LL BE DEAD MEAT FOR SURE.
HAAH!
IF I TAKE ANOTHER OF HER ATTACKS...
ZA (GSH)

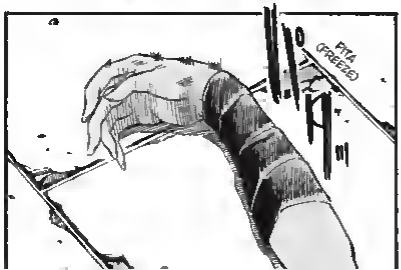
DO (BLAST)
TAKE THAT ...!!
TAKE ...
DO
SUKA (SWISH)
IT'S UNBECOMING.
DON'T PUT UP A USELESS RESISTANCE.
GA (GRAB)
SHIT...
DUD
IF WE WEREN'T ENEMIES, I'D ASK YOU OUT.
YOU'RE PRETTY CUTE...
HAFF!
HAAH!
HAGHK!
HFF!
GU (CHOKE)
GU
HAFF!
HAFF!

BUT...
GOH (GRASP)
HA HA!
YOU'RE NOT SO BAD-LOOKING YOURSELF.
I PROBABLY WOULD'VE SAID YES.
ZU (SEETHE)
ZU
ZU
OH WELL!
WE'LL HAVE TO SAVE THAT FOR THE NEXT LIFE.
BYE-BYE!

...
HUH?
DO (STAB)
I TIED THREADS TO MY KNIVES.
KYURU
KYURU
KYURU (FLUTTER)
SO WHEN I RETRACTED MY THREADS, THE KNIVES CAME WITH THEM...
KU-HAH!
DUSA (THUD)


...
BYE-
BYE.
DOSU
(STAB)

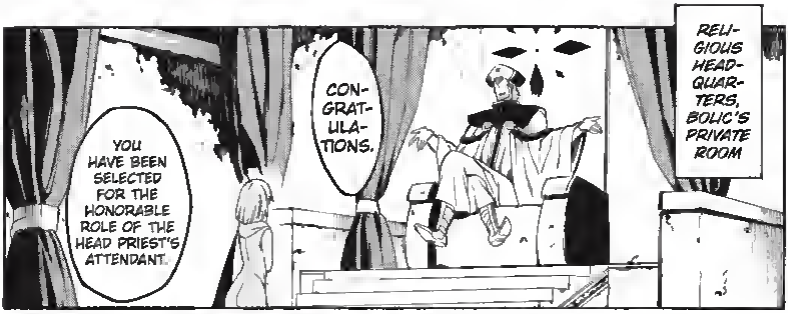

KAH
...
HAH
...!!


PITA
(FREEZE)

IKU
IKU
.....
!!

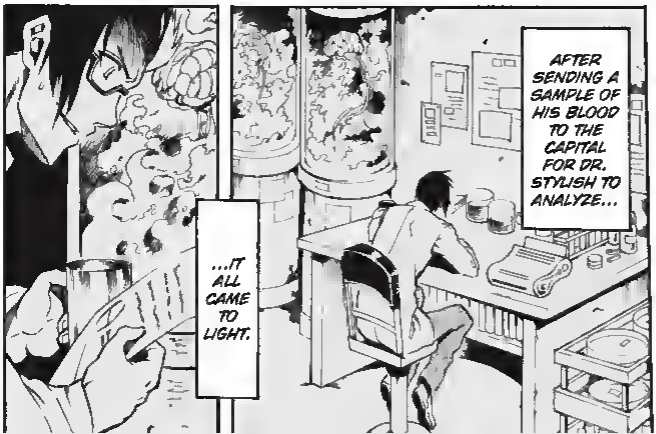
IKU
IKU
CTWTCKD
IKU

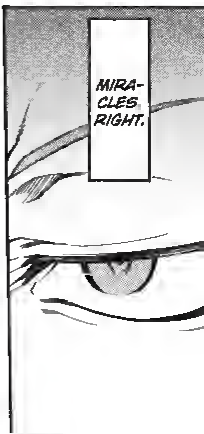
(SWIP)
(SWIP)
(SWIP)


RELIGIOUS HEADQUARTERS, BOLIC'S PRIVATE ROOM
CONGRATULATIONS.
YOU HAVE BEEN SELECTED FOR THE HONORABLE ROLE OF THE HEAD PRIEST'S ATTENDANT.

THIS IS LIKE A DREAM!
I'LL GET TO SEE THE MIRACLES HE PERFORMS UP CLOSE!

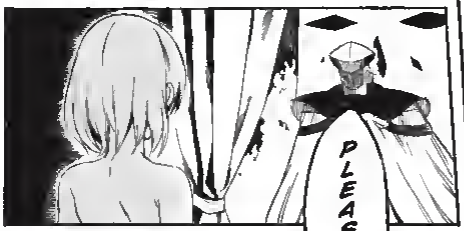
R...
REALLY!


...IT ALL CAME TO LIGHT.
AFTER SENDING A SAMPLE OF HIS BLOOD TO THE CAPITAL FOR DR. STYLISH TO ANALYZE...


MIRACLES. RIGHT.

UNBELIEVABLY, THE PRIEST IS THE OFFSPRING OF A DANGER BEAST AND A HUMAN!
THAT'S WHY HE'S ABLE TO USE SUCH UNNATURAL POWERS.
HE DOESN'T EVEN REALIZE THE MECHANISM BEHIND HIS MIRACLES.
... KUH KUH.
NOW THAT I KNOW, IT'S SO OBVIOUS.
HOW-EVER.
YOU'RE STILL POSSESSED BY EVIL AND WICKED THOUGHTS.
THAT MAKES YOU UNFIT FOR YOUR DUTIES.
TH-THAT CAN'T BE!
UNDRESS.
AND I WILL PERFORM A HOLY RITUAL TO PURIFY YOU.

SUTO (PLOP)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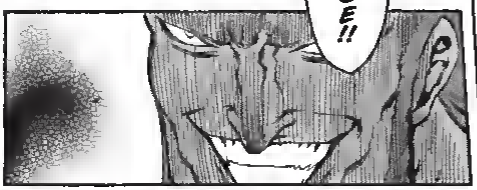
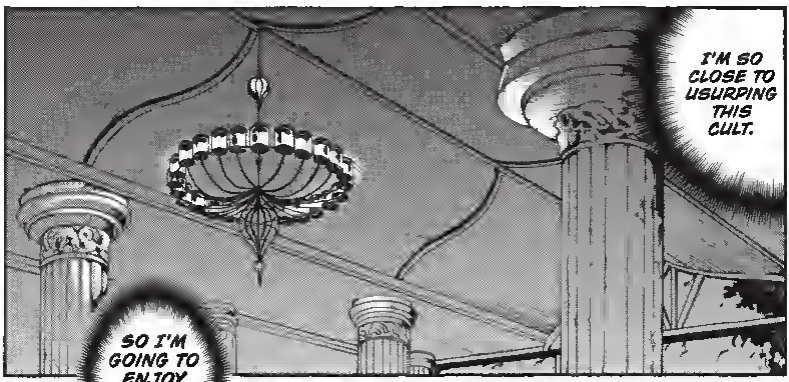


SU (SLIP)
YES.
BOLIC-SAMA!


I'M SO CLOSE TO USURPING THIS CULT.

SO I'M GOING TO ENJOY MYSELF TO THE UT-MOST...

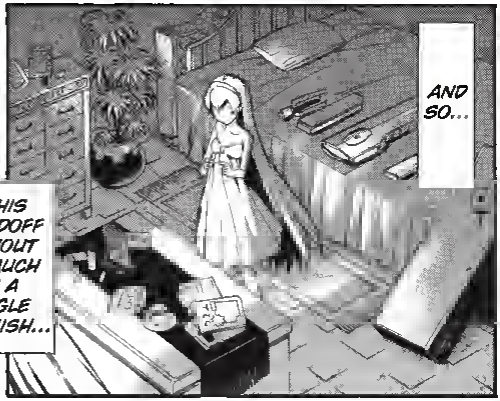
MEANWHILE, WITH THE MURDER OF MANY OF THEIR INFORMANTS...

...NIGHT RAID'S MOVEMENTS SLOWED.

ONCE THE JAEGERS LEARNED OF NIGHT RAID'S PRESENCE...

...THEY UPPED THEIR SURVEILLANCE.

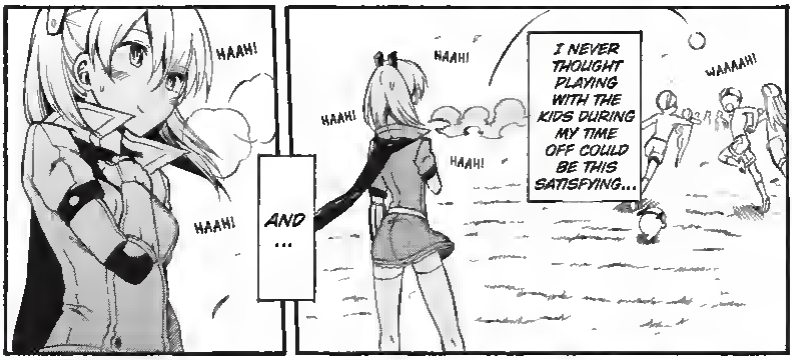
...THIS STANDOFF WITHOUT SO MUCH AS A SINGLE SKIRMISH...

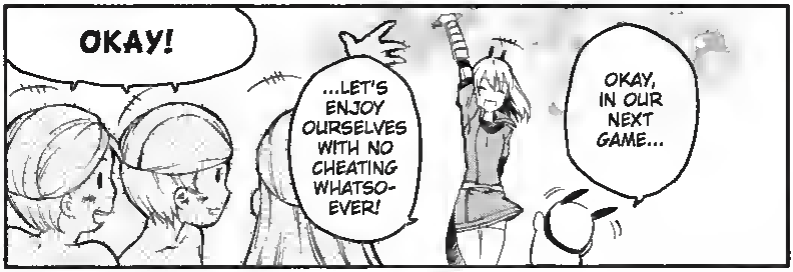


AND SO...

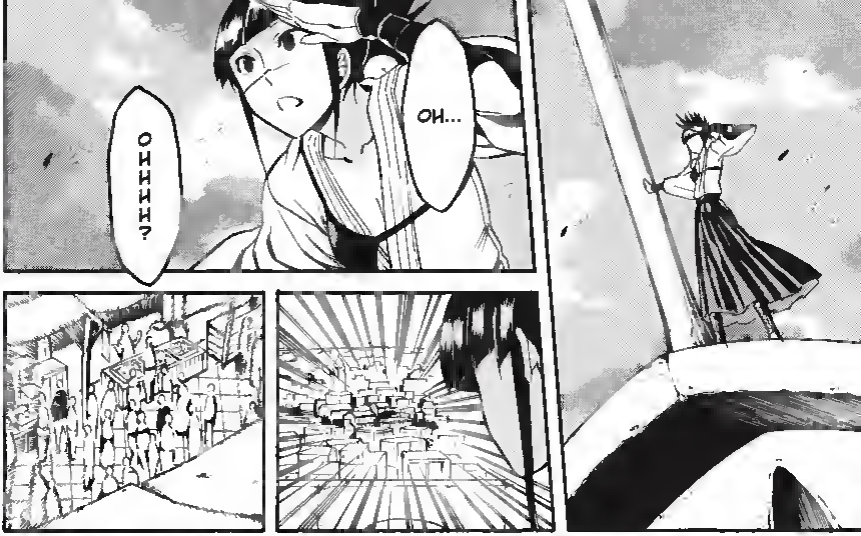
...LASTED FOR TWO WEEKS.

HYAH!
PON
SIS!
HUP!
PON (BOUNCE)
GOT IT!

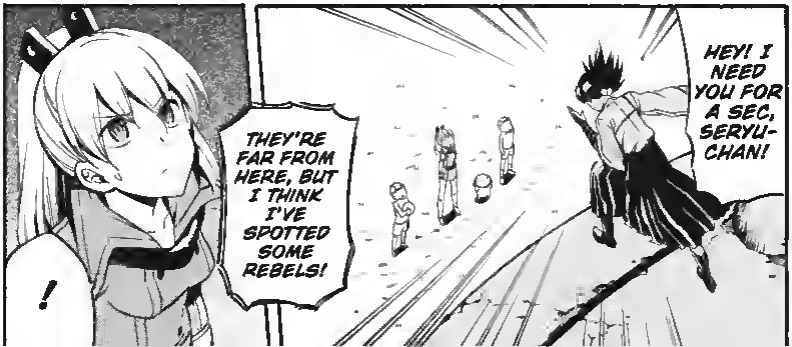

HAAH!
HAAH!
AND ...
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
I NEVER THOUGHT PLAYING WITH THE KIDS DURING MY TIME OFF COULD BE THIS SATISFYING...
WAAAAH!

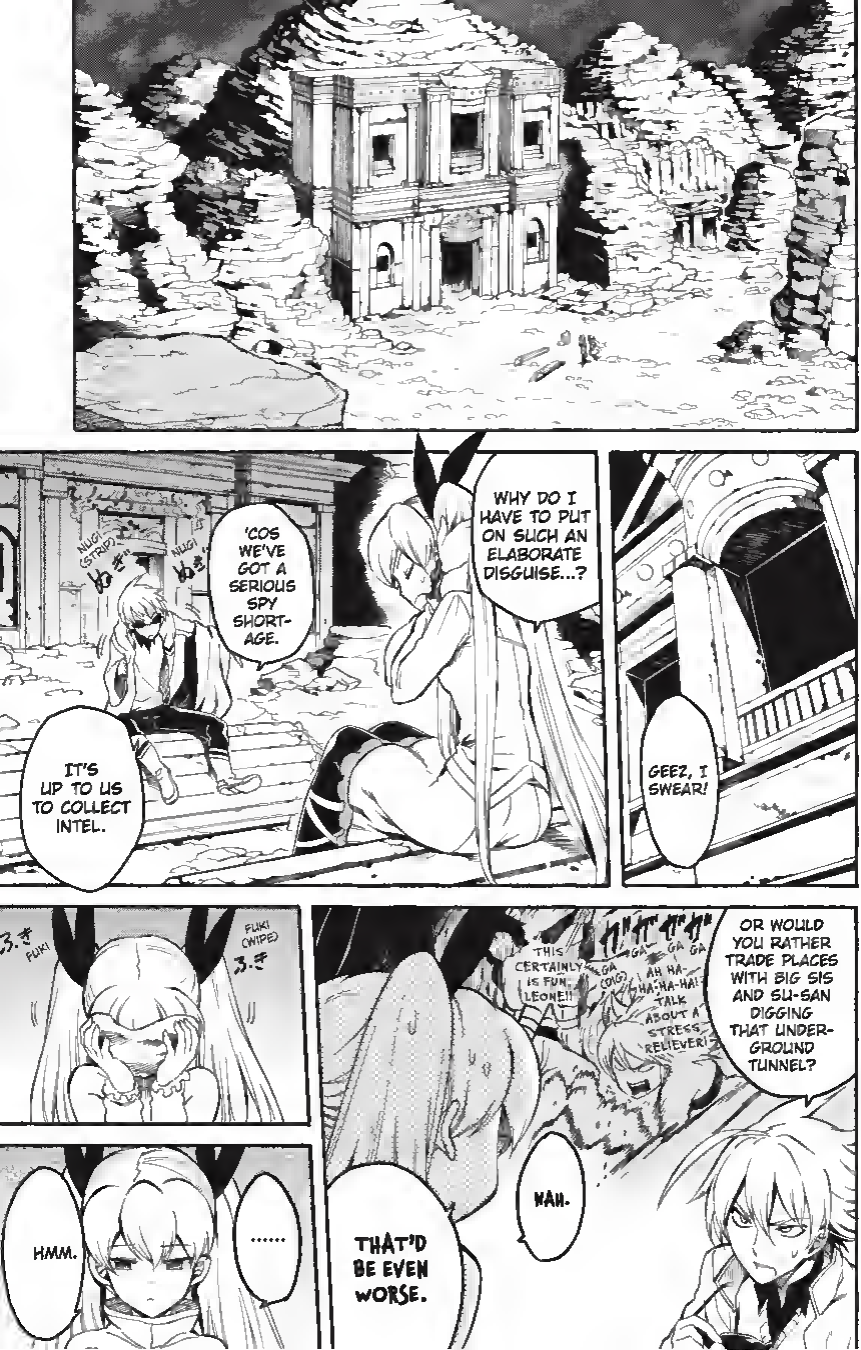

OKAY!
...LET'S ENJOY OURSELVES WITH NO CHEATING WHATSOEVER!
OKAY, IN OUR NEXT GAME...

I MUST SAY, I'M DUMB-STRUCK.
HA-HA-HA HA!
WHAT A HEART-WARM-ING SCENE.
JIIIN (TEARY)
...I CAN LEAD THEM DOWN THE RIGHT PATH. WHAT JOY...
WHILE THEY'RE STILL YOUNG...
I GUESS YOU COULD SAY I'M HELPING OUT?
BECAUSE THIS IS MY CHANCE TO HAVE GENERAL ESDEATH ORDER ME AROUND.
WAIT, SO YOU'RE ON OUR TEAM NOW?
PANT!
PANT!
PANT!
PANT!
PANT!
SOME-THING ABOUT THIS CHICK REMINDS ME OF STYLISH...
WHAT THE...?


OHHHH?
OH...

THAT GIRL'S GAIT... AND THE LOOK IN HER EYE...
...GIVE HER AWAY...


HEY! I NEED YOU FOR A SEC, SERYU-CHAN!
THEY'RE FAR FROM HERE, BUT I THINK I'VE SPOTTED SOME REBELS!
!

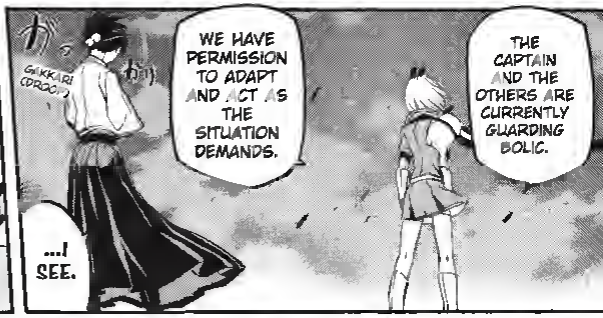

WHY DO I HAVE TO PUT ON SUCH AN ELABORATE DISGUISE...?
'COS WE'VE GOT A SERIOUS SPY SHORT-AGE.
NUG! (STRIP)
NUG!
IT'S UP TO US TO COLLECT INTEL.
GEEZ, I SWEAR!
FUKI
FUKI (WIPE)
THIS CERTAINLY IS FUN, LEONE!!
GA GA GA GA (CUT)
AH HA-HA-HA-HA! TALK ABOUT A STRESS RELIEVER!
OR WOULD YOU RATHER TRADE PLACES WITH BIG SIS AND SU-SAN DIGGING THAT UNDER-GROUND TUNNEL?
NAH.
THAT'D BE EVEN WORSE.
HMM.
.....

I FEEL LIKE MY FACE IS STILL DIRTY...
ZUU (LOOM)
DOKI (THADUM!!)
DID MY MAKEUP COME OFF?
KAAAA (BLUUUUSH)
ASE (PANIC)
Y... YEAH.
IT...
IT'S OFF.
WHAT ARE YOU GETTING ALL FLUSTERED FOR...?
DON'T TELL ME YOU ACTUALLY TOOK WHAT HE SAID ABOUT THAT "RED THREAD" SERIOUSLY.
PA (BOLT)
YEAH. RIGHT!
WHAT!?
KNOCK IT OFF WITH THE JOKING. IT'S NOT FUNNY!!
THE FACT THAT YOU'D EVEN SAY THAT TELLS ME YOU BELIEVE HIM, DON'T YOU!?

BESIDES, IF WE WERE BOUND BY A RED THREAD...
...THEN YOU SHOULD'VE HELPED ME OUT BACK WHEN I GOT SWALLOWED BY THAT FROG, AT LEAST!
I SWEAR, YOU'RE NEVER THERE WHEN IT REALLY MATTERS...!
SORRY I DIDN'T NOTICE YOU DISSOLVE
SH...
SHUT UP!
I HAD MY HANDS FULL ENOUGH AS IT WAS!
GRRRRRR!
...THAT GIRL...
SHE'S WITH NIGHT RAID!?
OH. LOOKS LIKE WE GOT BINGO.

BUT WAS IT REALLY ALL RIGHT FOR US TO LEAVE OUR POST?
PANT! PANT! PANT!
YOU THINK WE'LL GET PUNISHED FOR IT?

AND WHAT'S MORE...
THAT BOY WITH HER...


GAKKARI (DROO...)
WE HAVE PERMISSION TO ADAPT AND ACT AS THE SITUATION DEMANDS.
THE CAPTAIN AND THE OTHERS ARE CURRENTLY GUARDING BOLIC.
...I SEE.

GIRI (GRIT)

SO HE'S BEEN TAINTED BY EVIL ...!
CORO... #9!!

IT'S TATSU-MI...!

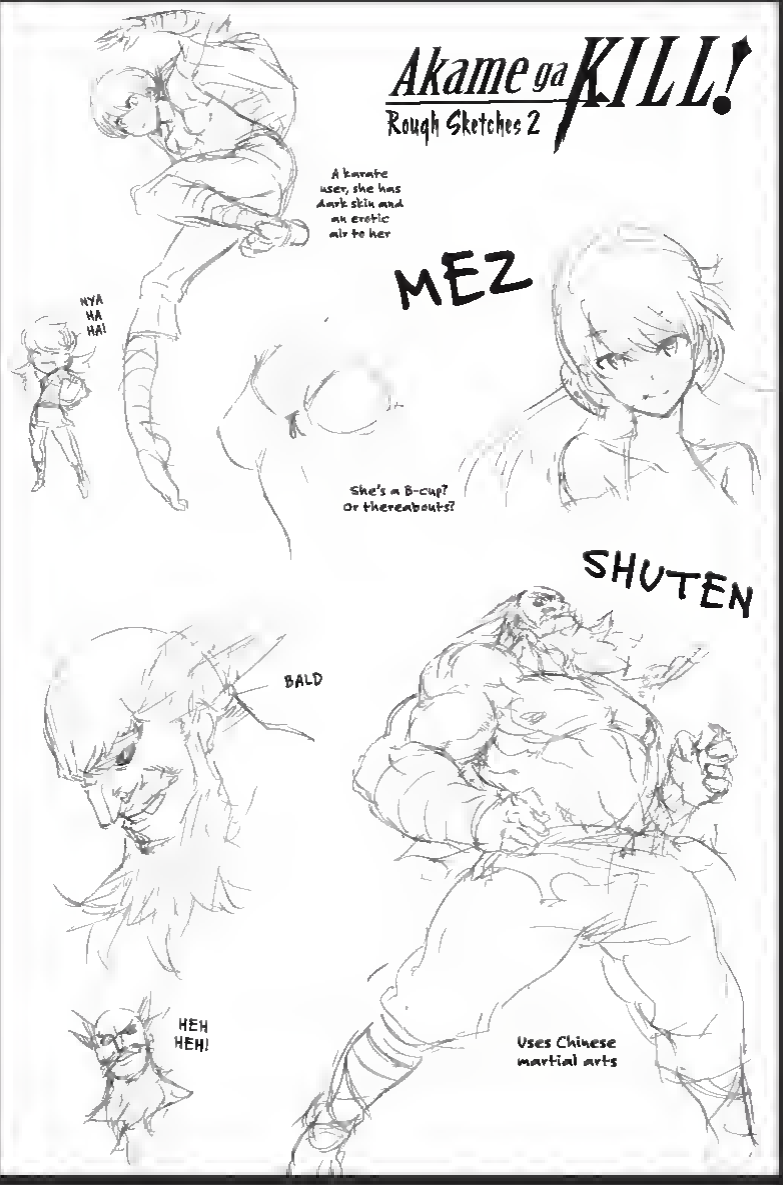
ZURU (GULP)
GABU (CHOMP)
URBAN DETECTOR!!
JUSTICE!
SO THERE'S NO DANGER OF BEING AMBUSHED...
WHICH MEANS...!!
ピコン
PIKON (BEEP)
BESIDES US AND THEM...
...THERE'S NOBODY ELSE AROUND HERE...!
PIKON
ピコン!!

SUZUKA-SAN, GO REPORT THIS TO CAPTAIN ESDEATH QUICKLY!
ON IT!
TA-CHOO!
AT LAST ...
...WE MEET AGAIN, NIGHT RAID!!
NII (GRIN)

GO (RUMBLE)
GO
GO
GO
CORO AND I WILL DETAIN THIS EVIL...!!
AND IF I GET CARRIED AWAY AND KILL THEM WITH SHEER FORCE, I'LL JUST APOLOGIZE TO THE CAPTAIN ...!

Akame ga KILL!

Rough Sketches 2



NI
(SMIRK)
SO YOU'RE GETTING READY TO MOVE OUT.
NO
YOU EVIL-DOERS.

GUN (GUICHO)
GACHA (CLUTCH)
I'VE COMBINED THE JUDGMENTS OF THE TEN KINGS #2, #7, AND #8 TO FORM THIS EQUIPMENT OF ANNIHILATION...
GOOOOOOOO (WHOOOOO)
NOW TO OPEN FIRE!!
EVEN THOUGH OUR GREAT CAPTAIN HAS FEELINGS FOR YOU, YOU'VE GONE TO THE DARK SIDE, TATSUMI...
ALONG WITH THAT EVIL COMRADE OF YOURS WHO ROBBED ME OF BOTH MY ARMS THAT NIGHT...

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JUSTICE
スーハー
SUN (SNIFF)
I SMELL GUN-POW-DER ...!!
!?
BARRAGE!!

GAGOH KRSHHK
ガゴッ
!
PIKON (BEEP)
ピコン
ピコン
PIKON
THEY'RE STILL ALIVE!
DU (BOOM)

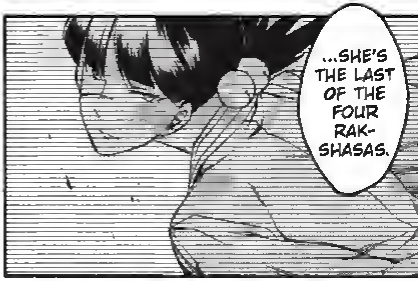
STUB-BORN EVIL-DOERS !!
DOSHU (FSSHT)
I SAW HER BEFORE.
SHE'S A JAEGER.
HER NAME'S SERYU.
HERE THEY COME AGAIN, TATSUMI!!

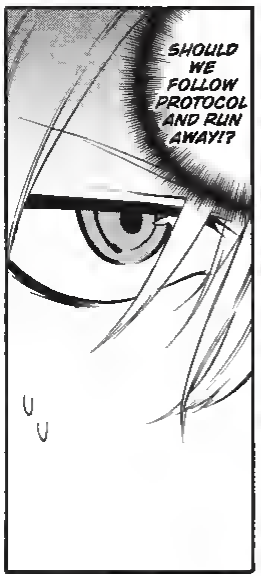
AAAAAAAH
WHAT AN ATTACK!
AND I'VE NEVER SEEN THAT WEAPON ON HER BACK BEFORE!
DO
DO
DO

THE FIRING STOPPED.
GA (CHRUCH)
GA
GA
GA
DON (STOMP)
DID WE GET OUT OF HER RANGE...?
KACHA (CLICK)
ANYWAY, WAS SHE TAILING US?
KACHA (CLICK)
AND AS FOR ANY OTHER ENEMIES ...

TA (TAP)
TA
TA
TA
JUDGING BY HER ATTIRE...
THERE'S ONE FLEEING THE SCENE!
!

KUH!
SO SHE'S GOING TO CALL MORE OF HER ALLIES FROM THE CITY!?


...SHE'S THE LAST OF THE FOUR RAK-SHASAS.

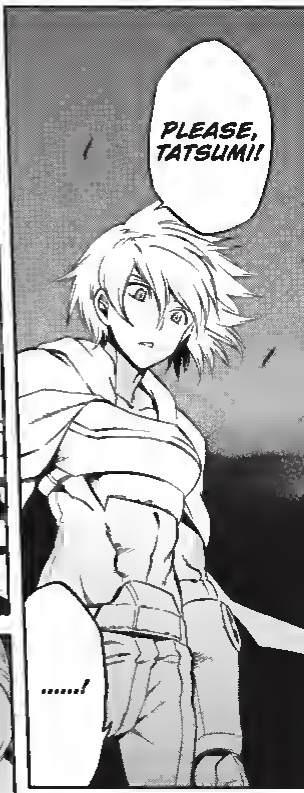

SHOULD WE FOLLOW PROTOCOL AND RUN AWAY!?

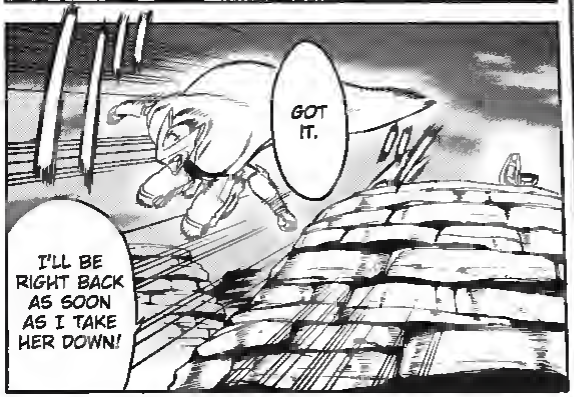
AKAME AND THE BOSS ARE DOING UNDER-COVER WORK ON THE OTHER SIDE OF TOWN.
LUB-BO'S STILL RECOV-ERING.
WHICH MEANS WE DON'T HAVE ANY BACKUP TO CALL FOR!
BIG SIS AND SU-SAN ARE DIGGING THAT HOLE.

PUT ME DOWN, TATSUMI.
YOU GO AFTER HER, TATSUMI!
I'LL TAKE ON SERYU.
!?
GACHA GKLATCHO
GACHA
...THE RAK-SHASAS ...
YOU'RE GOING TO FIGHT AGAINST SOMEONE WITH THAT BRUTAL WEAPONRY ALL BY YOURSELF !?
ARE YOU NUTS!?
...HAVE KILLED MANY OF OUR SPIES AND EVEN ATTACKED LUBBO...
THEY CAN PROBABLY TELL...
GACHA GKLATCHO
...WHO'S WORKING FOR THE REBELS' CAUSE.

GACHA
GACHA
SO THAT MAKES HER A REAL THREAT TO THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY.
GACHA
WE HAVE TO FINISH HER OFF HERE AND NOW...
I'LL KEEP SERYU'S ATTENTION ON ME.

KOKU (NOD)


PLEASE, TATSUMI!
.....!


GOT IT.
I'LL BE RIGHT BACK AS SOON AS I TAKE HER DOWN!

HMPH.

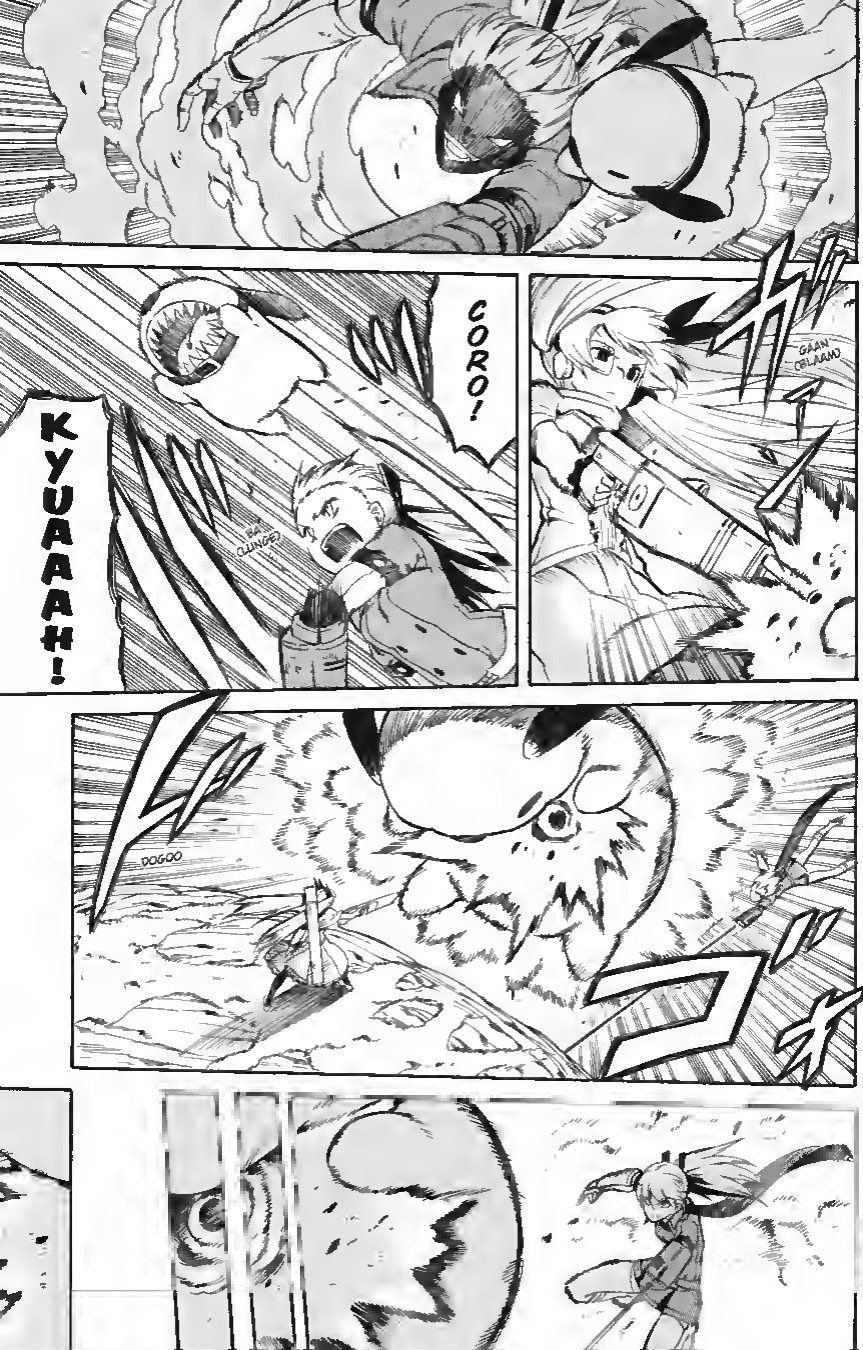
I'LL FINISH MY OPPONENT FIRST...
...AND THEN COME TO HELP YOU OUT.
GOOOOOOOO (WHOOOO)
BAKU (CHOMP)

ZURU (SHLUCK)
WHAT IS THAT?
IS THAT A WEAPON TOO?
THE RADAR TELLS ME TATSUMI WENT AFTER SUZUKA-SAN.
A FOOLISH DECISION, TYPICAL OF EVIL-DOERS!!

ON YOUR OWN...
BA (LUNGE)
...YOU CAN'T BEAT US!!!
DO (CLASH)
DO (CLASH)
ASH
GACHA (CRUNCH)
THAT'S A SIZABLE TARGET FOR ME!!

DOOOO (WOOM)
SHUUUUU (FSSHHH)
KOFF!
KOFF!
IN THAT CASE!!
THAT WAS MY HARDIEST WEAPON.
AND SHE TOOK IT OUT IN ONE SHOT ...!?

BO (FWOOSH)
GA (CRUNCH)


KYUAAAH!
CORO!
GAAN
GLAAAN
DOGOO

DO (STMP)
DO
DO
DO
DO
HAAH!
DOSHUUU (SSSSSHT)
GA (WHACK)
...SURPRISE BODY I'VE HEARD SO MUCH ABOUT!
SO THIS IS THE RUMORED ...
GAKI (CLANG)
KI
KI
KI
KI
BA (CLEAR)
YOU ...!

FAT (BLOOD)
HEH HEH ...
I BROKE A NAIL. ♫
HUP!
DOON (BOOM)
GWAH!
MEZ WAS ONE THING, BUT I WAS SHOCKED THAT ONE OF YOU TOOK DOWN IBARA...
I'M GUESSING THAT WASN'T YOU.
...YOU LITTLE ...!
GU
GU (STRAIN)

I CAN TELL JUST BY LOOKING THAT YOU DON'T HAVE MUCH EXPERIENCE WITH REAL BATTLES.
WITH ALL THAT ARMOR ON, SOONER OR LATER THE BURDEN ON HIS BODY WILL BE TOO MUCH, AND IT'LL CANCEL OUT THE ADVANTAGE...
PERO (LICK)
THE KEY TO WINNING A TEIGU BATTLE IS NOT TO RUSH.
IF I CAN JUST LAST UNTIL THEN, I'LL WIN.
I STILL...
...LACK STRENGTH!!
GU (CLENCH)

BA (WHIP)
EVEN IF THERE'S A GAP IN STRENGTH BETWEEN US, I'LL OVERTURN IT.!!
BE-SIDES ...
SU (SWF)
...JUST TAKING HER DOWN ISN'T ENOUGH.
GIRI (GRIT)
TIME AND AGAIN...I'VE HAD SO MANY REGRETS...
SO MANY TIMES...!!!
I HAVE TO DO THIS AS FAST AS I CAN...!

SERYU.
UBIQUI-TOUS ...!!
I'VE COME HERE TO PASS SENTENCE ON YOU DIRECTLY.
NIGHT RAID!
OTHER ...?
I'LL PREY ON YOU LIKE I DID YOUR OTHER FRIENDS!
GRIND
GRASP
GRASP
GRASP

THAT GIRL WHOSE HEAD WAS PUT ON PUBLIC DISPLAY BACK IN ROMARY WAS A FRIEND OF YOURS, RIGHT?
CORO ATE THE REST OF HER BODY.

IT WAS THE SAME WITH THAT GIRL WITH GLASSES.
THEY MADE A GOOD SNACK BETWEEN THE TWO OF THEM.
JUST AS YOU WILL.
GACHA
GACHA GKLATCH!?
FOR ALL THAT TALK ABOUT JUSTICE ...
..YOU BLINDLY FOLLOWED OGRE AND STYLISH.
YOU NEVER REALIZED WHAT FILTH THEY WERE.
GACHA GKLATCH!?
... YOU.
DON (STOMP)
GACHA
...IS NO DIFFERENT FROM THOSE BRUTES.
YOU'RE MAD.
GACHA
GACHA
AND THAT TWISTED SMILE YOU JUST GAVE...
GACHA

GACHA
YOU MAY NOT BE MY TARGET, BUT...
ZU (ZSHO)
...I HAVE NO RESER-VATIONS WHAT-SOEVER ABOUT TAKING YOU OUT.
I SWEAR I'LL PUT A BULLET THROUGH YOU!!
ZURU (SLIP)
BUKU (CHOM)
CORO. #5.
AND THE ARM...!
YOU FEEL BETTER NOW THAT YOU GOT THAT OFF YOUR CHEST?

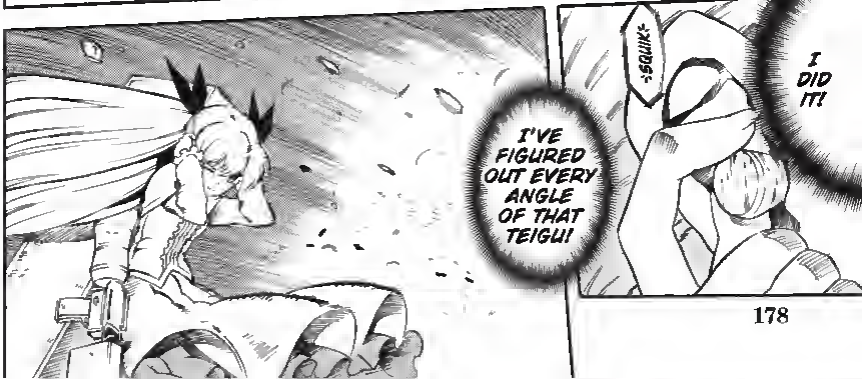
ALL YOU DID WAS BUY CORO ENOUGH TIME TO RECOVER.
NUGH! (SHUDDER)
THE WICKED CERTAINLY ARE DUMB.
LET'S GO, CORO!
DA (DASH)
DO (BLAST)
YOU'RE THE DUMB ONES!!

KYUAAH!!
WHERE DID THIS POWER COME FROM!?
OOH, I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS.
FOR WHEN WE'D HAVE A PROPER TWO-ON-ONE BATTLE!

THE TIGHTER THE PINCH I'M IN, THE MORE POWERFUL THE FORCE PUMPKIN PUTS OUT!!
DO
DO
DO BLAST!
C... CORO!
STAY STR-ONG!!
THERE'S NO WAY SHE CAN KEEP FIRING FOR MUCH LONGER!!
YOU'RE RIGHT.
BUT.
HAVING BATTLED ONCE ALREADY ...
...I KNOW HIS VITAL POINTS.
I DON'T NEED MUCH TIME AT ALL.

OH NO !!
CORO!
MAD CHANGE!!
GRRRRRR (GRRRRRR)

GYOOOOOO
OOOOOOH!


I DID IT!
SQUIK
I'VE FIGURED OUT EVERY ANGLE OF THAT TEIGU!

BA (LUNGE)
TCH!
GACHA (KLATCH)
KING OF HELL'S SPEAR EJECT !!
BOSHU (DESHIT)

BA (CLEAR)
WHA -?
KA (FLASH)
DOOM (CRASH)
KUCH!

DO
DO
DO (BLAST)
GA (SKID)
GA
GA
GA

GA (GRIP)
GA
GA
GA

DO (SLASH)
DO
GRUNK (CLUTCH)
YOU BIII

GA (BAM)
GA
ZA (SCUFF)
DO (WHAK)
DEATH BY BATTERYYY!

UWAAH!
GUH!
OOF!
DOGOO GROUND
SHIT.
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
...I CAN'T FULLY CARRY OUT HER SENTENCE.
HAAH!
MY BODY'S TAKEN SO MUCH DAMAGE ...
HAAH!
GAH!

KYUAH!
ズロロ
—ZUN (THOOM)
GOOD.
YIP!
YOU'RE ALL RE-COVERED NOW?
CORO.
WE'LL COME AT HER FROM BOTH SIDES AT ONCE.

Chapter 38 - KILL FATE (PART III)

THIS REMINDS ME OF SOMETHING...
OH...

I WAS BULLIED FOR BEING HALF TRIBAL...
THEY'D BEATEN ME UP ALL OVER...
...AND LEFT ME STARING UP AT THE SKY LIKE THIS
NO ONE ...
... WOULD HELP ME.
AND THAT'S WHEN I KNEW.

I COULD ONLY RELY ON MYSELF ...
AND IN THE FU-TURE ...
...I WOULD MAKE UP FOR ALL THAT MISERY...

...BY TAKING THIS BIASED AND CRUEL WORLD...
...AND TURNING IT ALL AROUND.

THAT'S WHY...

KASHU (KSHH)
GAGAH (CLATCH)
GOOOOO (WHOOO)
GUO (WHIRL)
...I'M NOT ABOUT TO...
...DIE OUT HERE!!!

CLINGE)
DON'T YOU DARE!!!
(GUA (RAWR)

KIIIII
CVWEEEEE!
UNDER-
ESTIMATE
PUMP-
KIIIIIIIN!!
GOO
(WAOOH)

CORO!
I'M OUT OF AMMO ...
...BUT I'VE STILL GOT THIS!!
KASHU (KSSHT)
JUSTICE...
BA (HOP)
...EXECUTE!

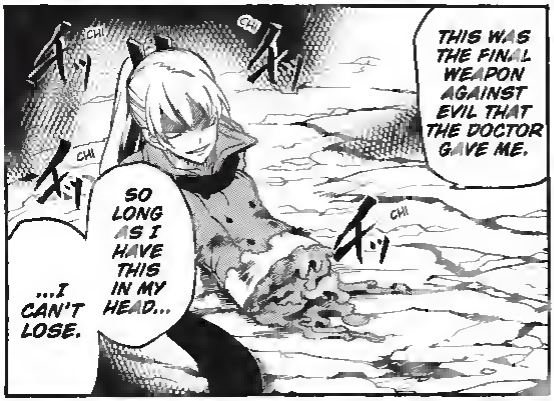
...GHHH (YWEEEEEE)
NOW...!
WHA —?
EAT LEAD !!!
BA CLUNGED

ZUDO (SLASH)
BUT HOW ...?
...ME DOWN!?
YOU CUT ...

KYUPO (POP)
...PUMPKIN FIRES USING MENTAL ENERGY.
DOSA (THUD)
GOOOOO (WHOOOO)
A SURGE IN EMOTION MAKES ME STRONGER.
BASHUU (SSSHT)
YOU PISSED ME OFF.
SO YOU LOSE.
GOOOOO (WHOOO)

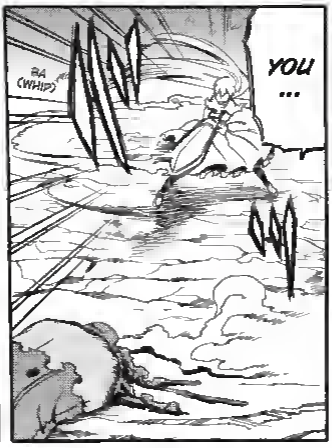
HA!
KAH HA!
HA HA HA HA!
HA!
HA!
JUSTICE NEVER LOSES.
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, EVIL WILL PERISH.
GACHI (CLICK)
CHAKRA-VARTIN FURNACE OF FIVE HELLS.
FINAL NUM-BER.
JUDG-MENT OF THE TEN KINGS.

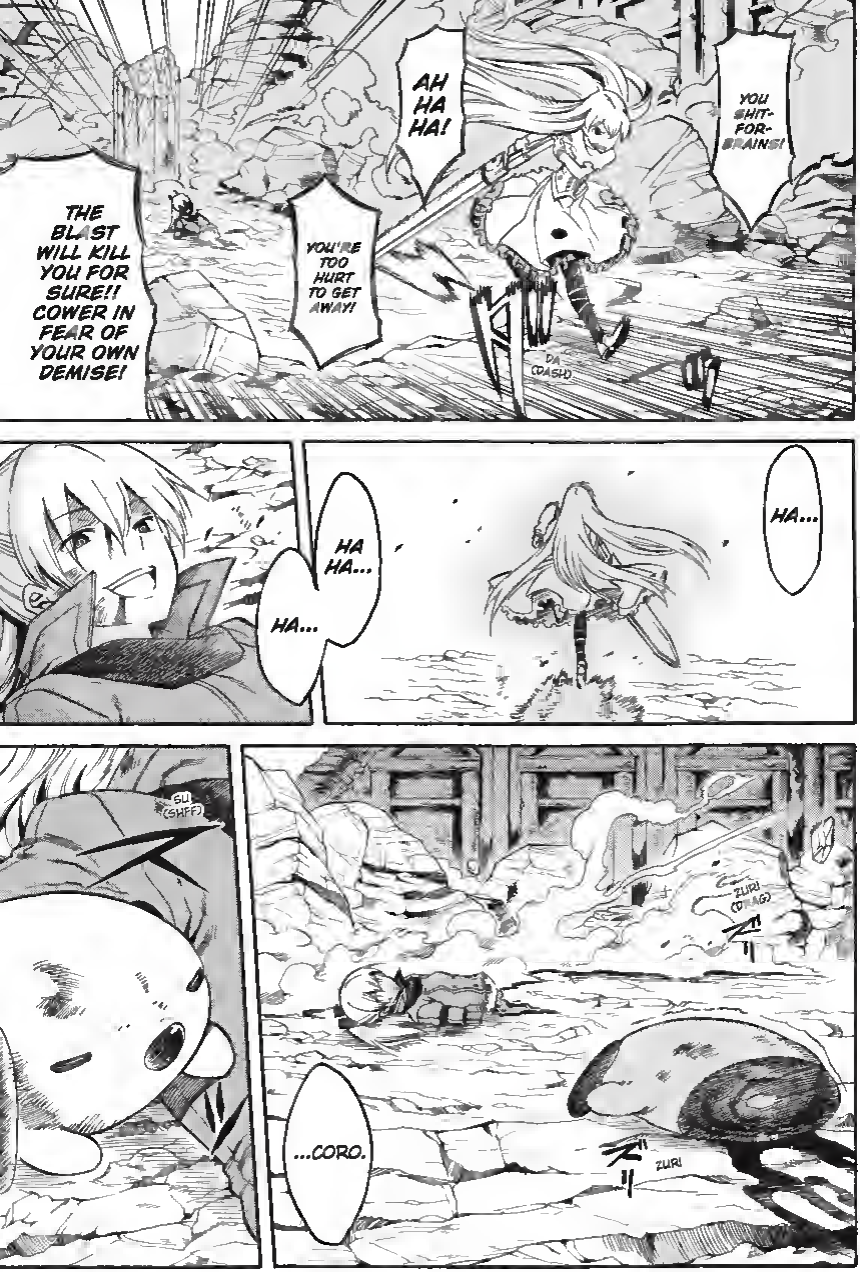
YOU HAVE FIFTEEN SECONDS.
CHI
CHI
CHI
CHI
CHI
.....?


THIS WAS THE FINAL WEAPON AGAINST EVIL THAT THE DOCTOR GAVE ME.
SO LONG AS I HAVE THIS IN MY HEAD...
...I CAN'T LOSE.
CHI
CHI
CHI
CHI

...IT CAN'T BE!
YOU'RE GOING TO SELF-DE-STRUCT!?

KUH... IT'S NO USE...
IT'S STILL TOO OVER-HEATED.


BA (WHIP)
YOU ...

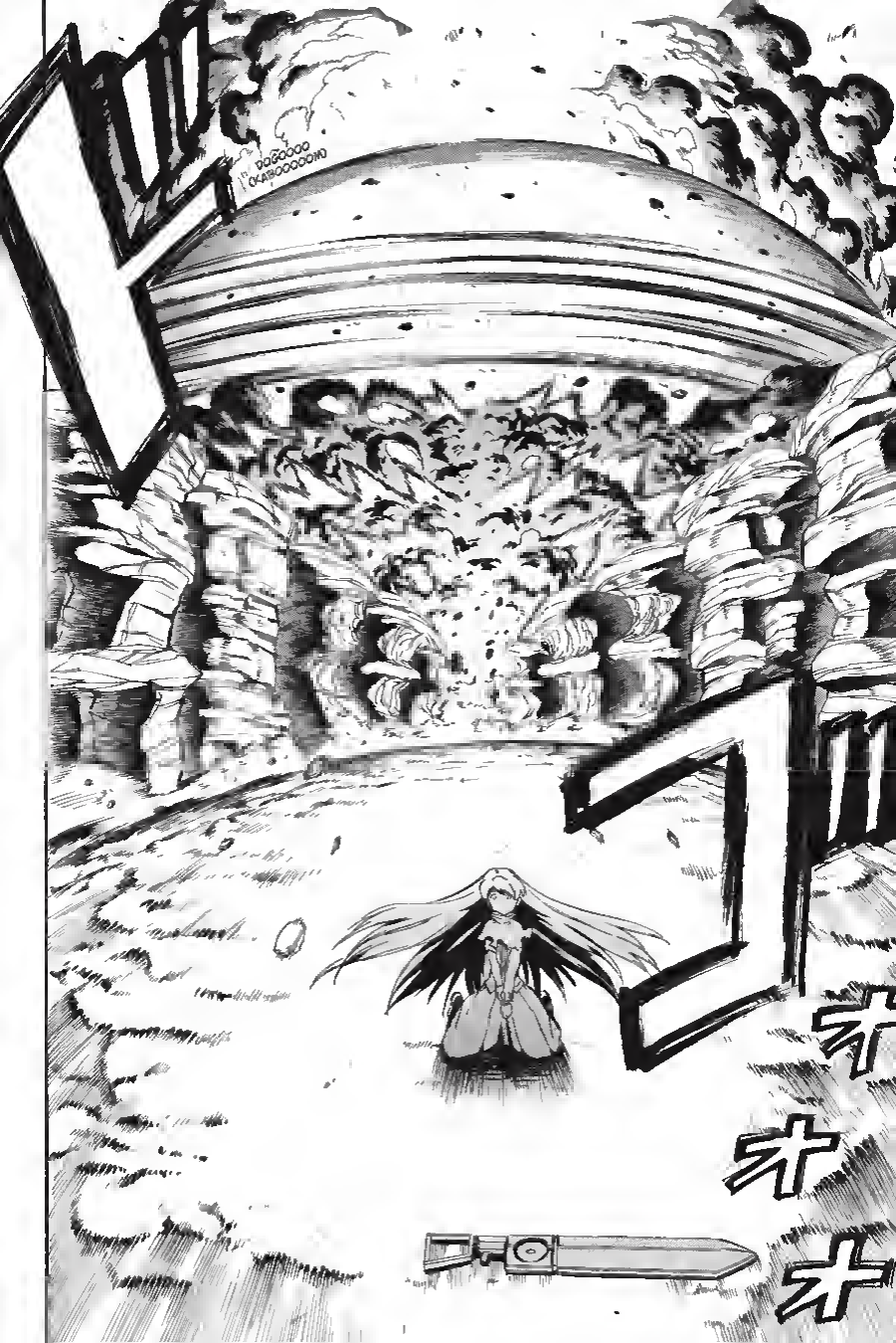

THE BLAST WILL KILL YOU FOR SURE!! COWER IN FEAR OF YOUR OWN DEMISE!
YOU'RE TOO HURT TO GET AWAY!
AH HA HA!
YOU SHIT-FOR-BRAINS!
DA (DASH)
HA...
HA HA...
HA...
SU (SHFF)
ZURI (DRAG)
...CORO.
ZURI

YOU CAN'T HEAL ANY MORE.
...I SEE.
...CAP-TAIN...
...ES-DEATH...
...WE STILL HAVEN'T DEFEATED ALL THE EVIL OF THE WORLD YET...
...EVEN THOUGH...

I DON'T WANT TO...
...DIE OUT HERE LIKE THIS...
KA (FLASH)

TA (TMP)
TA
TA
TA
TA
UGH!
DOSA (THUD)
GOTO (CLACK)
GA (TRIP)
I SWEAR I'M GOING TO SURVIVE AND BE ONE OF THE WINNERS!!
GU (STRAIN)
YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING ME...!
SHIT ...
MY LEG...

AFTER ALL THAT...
...TO DIE OUT HERE LIKE THIS...
AFTER ...
...I TOOK OUT TWO ENEMIES ...
HMPH!
WHAT ARE THEY DOING, SHOWING UP IN MY HEAD?
YOU GUYS...
...ARE STILL SO UNRELI-ABLE...
GYU (CLENCH)


DOGOOOO
KABOOOOOM
ボオオ

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(WHOOOOOSH)
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DAMN IT!!
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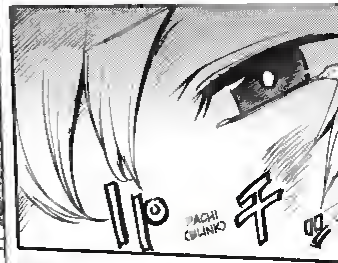

パチ
PACHI
CHUNKO

.....?

I WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH BACK WHEN BIG BRO WAS IN TROUBLE.
BA-HUUUU (SSSHT)
AND I DIDN'T MAKE IT IN TIME FOR CHELSEA.
BUT THIS TIME...
...I'M NOT LETTING ANYONE DIE!!!
TATSU-MI...!!

HEH HEH!
LOOKS LIKE YOU'RE OKAY.
GUSHI (RUB)
WHAT ABOUT THE RAKSHA-SA...?
OH, HER...
ZA (SWISH)

.....
THAT'S NOT IT.
SO YOU FIGURE THAT RUNNING AWAY INTO THESE RUINS...
...YOU CAN TURN INVISIBLE AND HIDE YOURSELF LIKE LAST TIME? IT'S NO USE.
DOSU (STAB)
SORRY, BUT...
GA
GA
GA
GA
GA
GA (GRNCH)
...I'M GOING TO FORCE YOU TO GO DOWN.
RAK-SHASA DEMON !!!

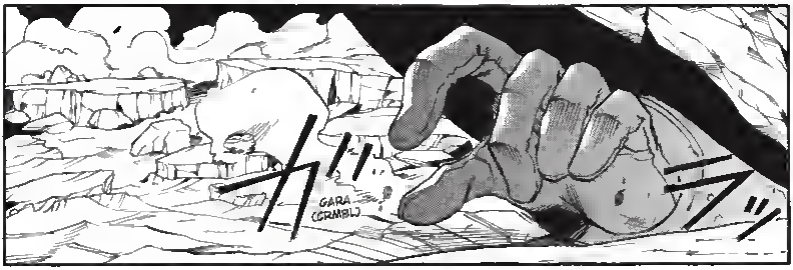
I'D RATHER BE SPARED SUCH AN ATTACK!!
BE-FORE YOU GET AWAY ...
WAIT!
...I'M TEARING THIS PLACE DOWN !!!

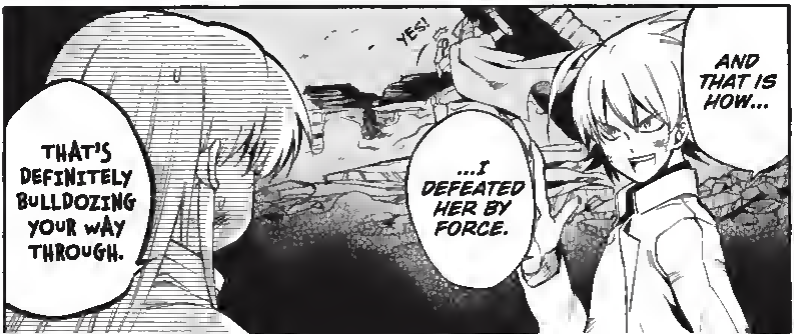
GA GA GA GA GA
GA (CRASH)

SHIIIIIIIII (SSSSHHHH)

GUA (LOOM)

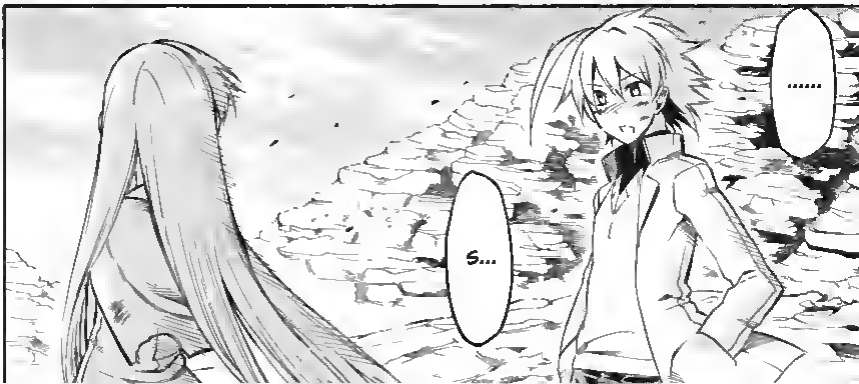
ZUZUN (THOOOOM)


GARA (CRMBL)


YES!
AND THAT IS HOW...
...I DEFEATED HER BY FORCE.
THAT'S DEFINITELY BULLDOZING YOUR WAY THROUGH.

BUT...
...I DID IT!
REMEMBER WHAT YOU TOLD ME?
THAT I SHOULD HELP YOU OUT WHEN YOU'RE IN TROUBLE?
AND I DID THAT, DIDN'T I?
SEE?
THAT REALLY DID BOTHER ME WHEN YOU SAID THAT!
HOW PATRONIZING.
YOU BARELY MADE IT IN TIME.
...BUT.
GYU (SQUEEZE)
..... HOW ...

YOU REALLY DID SAVE MY LIFE.....
I THOUGHT I WAS DONE FOR.
THANK YOU.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S...

SURE THING ...
SHE HAD SO MUCH POTENTIAL...

DOTA (SCAMPER)
DOTA
DOTA
DOTA

JAEGERS REMAINING: FOUR

TAKAHIRO's PostScript

Thank you for purchasing this volume.
This is Takahiro from Mineto Soft.
I'd like to take this opportunity to reveal a little more about the characters from Volume 8. Please read below after you've finished the entire volume first.

◆ Judgment of the Ten Kings

This time we got to see all the different forms it takes. In numerical order it's: iron ball, small missile, sword, winch, drill, large missile, cannon, land-and-sea torpedo, detector, and explosive. As Tatsumi indicated when he mentioned having never seen such weaponry before, a number of them are technology beyond their world's current capabilities. Stylish would be mad. As we see with form #8, she even has weapons that can be used underwater.

◆The Temple of the Imperial Fist's Four Rakshasas

The Temple of the Imperial Fist is the empire's greatest Shaolin kung fu establishment and continues to receive a number of benefits from the Empire, including generous contributions. In return for this financing, a portion of its more outstanding practitioners are loaned out to the Empire. They help out with the Empire's underhanded work of every kind. They're burdened with the task of gathering the teigu scattered throughout the land after the civil war five hundred years ago, and even though they don't possess teigu of their own, their skills and power enable them to challenge teigu users all the same. In fact, it's been reported that they've defeated a number of teigu users and confiscated their teigu. The Temple of the Imperial Fist as a whole has become so widespread, that the strength of its practitioners has become a touch watered down. However, those chosen to be the Four Rakshasas are given the most rigorous in religious austerities and have been bestowed with ancient strengths. They are the Minister of State's precious pawns.

[Shuten]
He believes that the living world is hell and that by killing his opponents he is liberating them from it. So he truly believes he is doing good work.
[Ibara]
He likes finding the good points about those he fights and derives pleasure by then killing the very person he's developed feelings for. Of all Four Rakshasas, he's the strongest and fought a fierce fight against Akame.
[Mez]
Full of spunk and vigor, she'll attack in an innocent and childlike way. She kills because it's her job, not to be cruel.
[Suzuka]
She enjoys taking attacks from the enemies she's battling. That's why she has so many wounds all over her body. In a word, she's a super masochist.

And that's all. Thank you very much for reading all the way up to the end.
And I hope to see you again in Volume 9.

AKAME GA KILL!

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THANK YOU ALWAYS!

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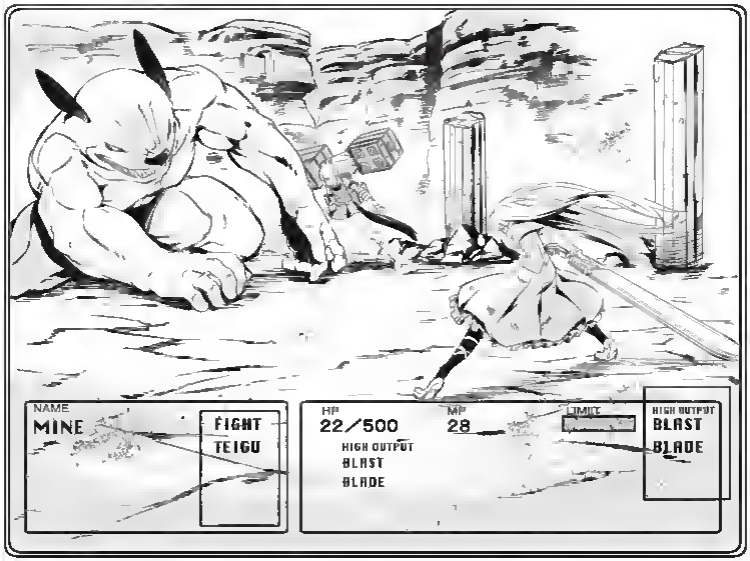
WE'RE ALREADY AT VOLUME 9! AND I'M STILL ENJOYING MYSELF AS MUCH AS EVER.
I TRIED WRITING MY AFTERWORD DIGITALLY, BUT SINCE I'M STILL LEARNING HOW TO USE IT, I CAN'T YET USE IT FOR MY WORK IN THE ACTUAL BOOK. I'M GOING TO KEEP TRYING MY HARDEST, SO THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT HEREAFTER.



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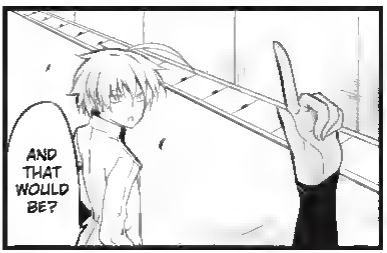
SINCE SHE WAS DRUNK...
SO THIS IS THE APARTMENT WHERE HINAKO IS
WHY DID YOU COME TOO, ESDEATH-SAN?
BECAUSE I'M A FAN OF HERS.
I CAN EVEN DO AN IMPRESSION OF HER!
L-LIKE WHAT?
FLYING FRIED SHRIMP.
BULUN (FLOPPA)
I DON'T THINK...
...SHE EVEN KNOWS WHO WE'RE VISITING.

I LET MYSELF INTO YOUR ROOM

THIS IS ALSO PURE LOVE



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